

THE EVENING NEWS.

FIFTH YEAR NO. 243

BENTON HARBOR, MICH., SATURDAY, JULY 14, 1900.

TWO CENTS.

BEST AT TARGET FIRE

Benton Harbor Division at the Front.

Lieut. Sweet a Bird of a Shot.

Reserves Started for Detroit Today.

By Telegraph to Evening News.
Mackinac Island, July 14.—All day yesterday the naval militia were given instructions and practice in firing one, three and six pound guns from the deck of the gunboat Michigan. The Benton Harbor division were credited with making the best record, and the best individual shots were made by Lieutenant Sweet.

After the gun practice our men manned the boats of the ships and were given instructions in rowing and sailing them, which afforded them much pleasure. The cruise this year thus far excels that of last year in practical instruction and enjoyment as neither the Michigan or the Yantic are crowded. There is not a single occasion for any unpleasantness or complaint and all of the boys are more than satisfied.

Several arousing incidents have occurred. Currier ate thirteen eggs for breakfast this morning and then offered to eat five more.

While getting into a boat yesterday Hemingway accidentally struck Currier on the nose with an oar, causing that member to howl copiously, and it is somewhat increased in size today.

A. F. Schoelitz, the proprietor of the Benton Harbor bicycle works, has been assigned to the engineer's department on the Yantic. Lieut. Sweet has been ordered to return to Detroit on the Yantic as that ship needs his services. C. K. Farmer will have charge of the fourth division on the return trip to Detroit on the Michigan.

The boys are talking of giving the officers and crew of the Michigan a reception at Benton Harbor in the near future.

Much amusement is had when petty officers have their turn out at night to stand their watches. Zekind got up last night and did not wake until he was hoisting ashes. Rowe walks in his sleep.

The revenue cutter Fessenden arrived yesterday.

We leave early this morning for Detroit and will touch other ports en route.

There was a grand ball at Grand Hotel last night and all the boys were ashore.

C. K. FARMER.

MAN HAS DISAPPEARED

Excitement in Eau Claire Over The Matter.

au Claire, July 14.—A man named Liam H. Dooliver organized a lodge of Modern Brethren of America here last month. He was well dressed and evidently had considerable money. He left the village June 22. His friends have heard nothing of him since and are now investigating the matter. It is feared that he has met foul play.

Olphant Bros., Upholstering and Re-pairing.

Pianos, organs, bedroom suits, sideboards, etc., refinished, water rubbed and polished. Old furniture made to look like new.

It will pay you to call at 115 Pleasant street. t243

CLOSING OUT!!

At Jackson's Gun Store and Loan Office.

108 Water St. Benton Harbor

Closing out my entire stock of ladies' and gent's UNREDEEMED Bicycles. Bicycles sold on the installment plan, third down, balance weekly payment. Closing out my entire stock of UNREDEEMED shot guns, rifles and revolvers. Closing out my entire stock of ladies' and gent's UNREDEEMED watches at prices that will make you buy. Closing out my entire stock of UNREDEEMED sewing machines, 13 altogether. Closing out my entire stock of UNREDEEMED musical instruments, banjos, guitars, violins, mandolins and one cottage organ. Closing out my entire stock of UNREDEEMED men's clothing. Closing out my entire stock of ammunition. All kinds of shot gun and rifle powder, 25c. per lb. Loaded paper shells, 10c. 12 and 16 gauge, 40c. and 45c. per box. Closing out my entire stock of fishing tackle. SHOT GUNS AND RIFLES TO RENT BY THE DAY OR WEEK. WEDGE AND WALL ENTS FOR SALE. My sofa, fountain pen, etc.

Ice Cream Soda a leader this season. Inspection invited.

CHAS. A. JACKSON,

Dealer in almost everything. Licensed to loan money on all kinds of personal property. Twin City Phone 598.

PRINCE CHING, CHINESE COMMANDER AT PEKING.



Imperial Forces in the Capital Are Reported Fighting the "Boxers."

TWO BAD MEN

Robbed Coloma Drug Store and are Captured.

Late last evening two hobos who have been picking berries near Coloma, entered Baker's drug store in that village and asked to get trusted for a bottle of whiskey. They were refused and left the place. Later in the night they demolished the glass in the front door, entered the store, stole \$5 from the money drawer and slot machine and three bottles of whisky, and not being satisfied and wanting to get even with the druggist, they took bottles from the shelves and threw them in the street.

Deputy Sheriff John Umphrey was notified and soon had the men. They were brought to this city this morning.

MASONIC EXCURSION.

It Will Go to Milwaukee Instead of St. Joseph.

Saturday, July 25, was the day set apart for the big Masonic excursion, the place St. Joseph and Benton Harbor. The date has not been changed, but the place has, and Milwaukee will have the pleasure of entertaining the 25,000 strangers.

Over 4,000 tickets had been sold for St. Joseph when it was found by conferring with the Graham & Morton people that they could not change the running schedule of their boat to suit the excursionists and a change was made to Milwaukee, and the Christopher Columbus and Virginia will carry the crowd.

Only Masons, their wives and families and such as they only will vouch for can take in the excursion.

The "High Sea Degree" will be worked by special "trade" of the "Terrible Turk," at 12 o'clock at mid-ocean, for the first time in American waters. Nothing its equal in Mohammedan Masonry ever before given.

Van Horn's Position.

EDITOR EVENING NEWS: Whereas, it has come to me from the most reliable sources that R. I. Jarvis says that my opposition to his nomination for congress is, that I am a candidate for the post office in the event of Mr. Bryan's election, to me this is far-fetched. I thought that it was publicly known that I was only a candidate for one of two offices, namely, justice of the peace of this city or supreme dictator of the earth, and I hereby give public notice to all democrats looking for soft jobs that I am not a candidate for the Benton Harbor post office when Mr. Bryan is elected, as he surely will be. F. M. VAN HORN.

Senator Gear Died Today.

By Telegraph to Evening News.

Portland, Washington, July 14.—United States Senator Gear of Iowa died suddenly here this morning of heart failure. Two hours before his death he was in his usual health.

Poisoned a Dog.

Some one poisoned Postmaster Huntington's English settler this morning and the postmaster offers a reward of \$25 for the arrest and conviction of the thief.

\$25 Reward.

I will give \$25 reward to the person who will furnish information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person who poisoned my dog Duke.

2436 H. R. HUNTINGTON.
July 14, 1900.

Hot Wave Again.

The weather man predicts "warm weather" for Sunday.

Drake & Wallace have a large assortment of camping outfit to rent at reasonable prices.

See Baitioner's windows for bargains. Don't miss them.

BENTON FOR RACKLIFFE

Mr. Rackliffe Named the Delegation.

Caucus Largely Attended in Heat

Buchanan Supports Dodd for Register.

The republican caucus in Benton township was held this afternoon in the Benton town hall and was called to order by W. A. D. Rose.

Notwithstanding the heat the hall was crowded and it was infernally hot inside.

H. A. Rackliffe was magnificently supported for register of deeds and was allowed to select his own delegates, an honor that has been accorded but few candidates in the present campaign.

Mr. Cunningham asked how Mr. Rackliffe stood on the other candidates and the candidate made a speech and then the motion to allow Mr. Rackliffe to nominate his own delegates was carried without a dissenting voice.

The delegates chosen by Mr. Rackliffe are: J. W. Worington, John Downing, John C. Lawrence, F. M. Whitbeck, W. A. D. Rose, S. L. Van Camp, L. M. Ward, Seward Sheldon, H. S. Whitbeck, R. C. Thayer, Seely McCorkle, H. A. Rackliffe, Ed McCullough, Roland Morrill, D. S. Vaughn.

Dodd Captures Buchanan.

The Buchanan caucuses were held this afternoon. There were two candidates for register of deeds in Buchanan: Leroy Dodd and S. Barmore. The two candidates had an agreement that they both select a list of delegates and submit the list to the caucus.

The list receiving the majority of votes would declare who the candidate would be.

The caucus was held in the opera house and Dodd's list was elected by a vote of 14 to 4.

Moonlight Excursion.

There will be a moonlight excursion up the St. Joseph river next Tuesday evening given by the B. H. C. alumni association. All invited.

THE CHURCHES

Subjects to Be Discussed From City Pulpits Tomorrow.

HOLY TRINITY—Rev. Frederic Wellham, rector. Pipestone street, near capitol, telephone 5-7212. Twin City Church—Services at 7:30 a.m., morning prayer and sermon, 7:30, Evening prayer and sermon. Sunday school at 9:30 a.m. Week days: Celebration of the Holy Communion on Saint days at 9:30 a.m.

PRE-UNITED CHURCH—Rev. A. K. Beck, pastor; residence 181 1/2 11th avenue. Preaching at 10:30 a.m. Mrs. J. W. Johnson will occupy the pulpit and will speak on the subject "Science and Religion."

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. W. J. Cady, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 and 7:30.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH—Rev. W. J. Cogshall, pastor. Classes beginning at 7 a.m. Pulpit service at 10:30 a.m. Sunday school at 12 noon. Junior league at 3:30 p.m. Epworth league at 6:15 p.m.

ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH—Rev. Fr. Michael, pastor. Services tomorrow at 8 and 10:30 a.m. Vespers at 7:30 p.m.

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. F. P. Green, pastor. Morning subject "Victory Through Grace." Evening, special sermon to the church.

A. M. E. CHURCH—J. W. Saunders, pastor. Love feast at 9 a.m. Preaching at 10:30 a.m. Communion at the Lord's supper at 7:30 p.m. This is the last quarterly meeting this conference year. All are cordially invited.

DRINK Michigan Tea & Coffee Co.'s COFFEES AND TEAS

When you buy them you want to be sure of two things—that quality is pure and the price is right. These are our strong points and the secret of our growing trade.

Michael & Beeny

PEOPLE'S TRANSIT CO...

The Only Steamer Line to Milwaukee.

Leave Benton Harbor daily except Saturday at 7:45 p.m. St. Joseph at 9 p.m.

Leave Milwaukee daily except Sunday at 8 p.m.

Through Tickets Sold and Cheapest Route to All

Western and Northwestern Points.

Docks: BENTON HARBOR—Main and Seventh streets. Phone 350.

ST. JOE—E. A. Graham.

MILWAUKEE—East Water Street Bridge.

DRINK Michigan Tea & Coffee Co.'s COFFEES AND TEAS

Given Away..

We shall give away Two Hundred Pounds Health Food Baking powder. Trade beginning Saturday morning, July 14th. With two pounds of coffee we give full pound

can Health Food Baking Powder. OUR COFFEES NEED NO COMMENT, they are always the best for the money. A baking powder of high quality, but to introduce, we will give customers the benefit for a few days. Samples of this Baking Powder given cheerfully. If you doubt this proposition, call for sample.

W. D. DOWNEY

Postoffice Block.

Michigan Telephone Co.

Local Long Distance

</

Justly Famous...

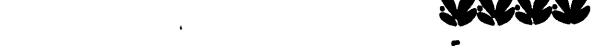
Is the soda water drawn from the fountain of

HARRY L. BIRD
Hotel Benton Druggist

CREAMO

Most emphatically

The Finest and Best
5c. Drink in the City
TRY OUR ICE CREAM SODA.



We use the pure fruit flavors, which not
alone make our drinks delicious but are
not injurious.....

-HARRY L. BIRD-

The Hotel Benton Druggist.

The Shoe That Made
Douglas Famous

Is Doing the same thing for us in Ben-
ton Harbor and surrounding country.

When you buy
a Douglas Shoe

You are getting value received for your
money, a shoe that is made of the best
material and by skilled workmen at a
moderate price and combining both style
and comfort. \$3, \$3.50 and \$4; posi-
tively no more.



Morrison Bros.

Benton Harbor.

102 Water St.

New York
Weekly Tribune.

For Nearly Sixty Years
The Leading National Family News-
paper For Progressive Farmers and
Villagers.

An old, stanch, tried and true friend of the American People, from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and the pioneer in every movement calculated to advance the interests and increase the prosperity of country people in every state in the Union.

For over half a century farmers have followed its instructions in raising their crops, and in converting them into cash have been guided by its market reports, which have been National authority.

If you are interested in "Science and Mechanics" that department will please and instruct. "Short Stories" will entertain old and young. "Fashion Articles" will catch the fancy of the ladies, and "Humorous Illustrations" and items will bring sunshine to your household.

THE WEEKLY TRIBUNE is "The People's Paper" for the entire United States, and contains all important news of the nation and world.

Regular subscription price \$1.00 per year, but we furnish it

And The WEEKLY NEWS 1 Year for \$1.25.

New York
Tri-Weekly Tribune Published Monday, Wednesday, Friday.
A complete, up-to-date daily newspaper three times a week for busy people who receive their mail oftener than once a week.

Contains all striking news features of THE DAILY TRIBUNE up to hour of going to press; and is profusely illustrated.

Regular subscription price \$1.50 per year, but we furnish it

And The WEEKLY NEWS 1 Year for \$1.75.

Send all orders to THE NEWS, Benton Harbor, Mich.

The Evening News

All the news for 10c a week

FATE OF M. DE GIERS

Russian Envoy at Peking Meets a
Horrible End.

BOILED TO DEATH BY FANATICAL MOB

**Awful Tortures Are Practiced on the
Wife of the Diplomat and Lega-
tion Officers Until They Are
Relieved by Death.**

St. Petersburg, July 14 (via Paris, July 14).—The czar has received with great emotion the dreadful details of the catastrophe at Pekin. Tears coursed down his majesty's cheeks as he read the cablegram from Admiral Alexeyev at Port Arthur confirming the horrible details of the assassination of M. de Giers, which merely in form of rumors had already reached Russia. The admiral declares that the Russian envoy was dragged through the streets by the Boxers, insulted, beaten and tortured, and even thrown into a great kettle and boiled to death. Then the remains were thrown to the dogs. While M. de Giers was being disposed of the fanatic mob danced around the caldron.

TORTURED MOST FLENDISHLY.

Mme. de Giers, Admiral Alexeyev's advice declare, suffered a fate worse than death, and was beaten and tortured with sharp sticks until life was extinct. The legation officials are said to have been tortured tendishly until death ended their sufferings. M. de Giers and his legation officials resisted desperately, and his brave body-guard killed many of the attacking mob. In the midst of his tortures the envoy is said to have heroically proclaimed his faith in Christianity, encouraged by the wife who so soon shared his martyrdom.

The announcement of this intelligence to the relatives of the Russian martyrs in China was accompanied by heartrending scenes. Count Lamsdorf received the friends of the murdered ones at the foreign office and unfolded to them the tragic story. The scenes of frenzied terror and grief that followed were unspeakable. The building of the foreign office was besieged by an excited throng and the whole of St. Petersburg is full of lamentation.

Immediately upon the receipt of Admiral Alexeyev's dispatch the czar ordered the cabinet and council of state to go into session at once.

SAYS ALL ARE SLAIN.

London, July 14.—A news agency report says that an official message received in London states that all the foreigners in Peking were murdered July 6.

Though there does not appear to be at this hour any justification for the statement that official confirmation has been received here of the massacre of the international colony at Peking, it is hardly doubted that such confirmation will be the outcome of the present suspense.

TO SEND MORE TROOPS.

Lord Salisbury presided at a lengthy cabinet meeting Friday afternoon, at which it is understood important decisions in regard to China were reached, and that already instructions have been sent to Simla to prepare another division, consisting of four British and four Indian regiments, with their complements of artillery, for service in China.

DISCOURAGING CABLE FROM GOODNOW.

Washington, July 14.—The department of state has received a dispatch from Consul-General Goodnow at Shanghai, saying that the governor of Shantung wires that the Boxers and soldiers were bombarding the legations for a final attack on the 7th of July. He is extremely anxious for the safety of the ministers and friendly Chinese in Peking. The consul adds that fears of the worst are generally entertained.

The short cablegram received from Consul-General Goodnow at Shanghai terribly depressed the officials here. All along they have suspected that the various communications received from Chinese forces in Shanghai have been preparing the way for the announcement of the extermination of the foreign ministers and their wives, children, attaches, dependents and guards. Therefore, the state department, which has all along been hopeful of the ultimate rescue of the ministers at Peking, has now joined European chancelleries in the belief that they have all been killed.

CONFIRMED GOODNOW'S DISAPPEARED.

London, July 14.—A telegram received at the office of the Chinese imperial maritime customs in London from the governor of Shantung is identical with United States Consul Goodnow's report of the bombardment of the legations July 7. The officials here regard the dispatch as leaving little room to hope the legations have survived.

RESCUES PRINCE CHING.

London, July 14.—A dispatch from Shanghai says: "The viceroy of Fuh-shien has received dispatches from Peking, dated July 7, announcing that Gen. Nieh, with 9,000 men, has reached there from Lutai by making a long detour to the north. He met and defeated Prince Tuan's army and rescued Prince Ching, but lost 2,500 men in the operation. Gen. Nieh is now trying to rescue Gen. Yung-Lu and thus save what may be left of the legations in Peking. Nieh is favorable to the foreigners."

MASSACRE SENT HOME.

Washington, July 14.—Wu Ting-Fang, the Chinese minister in Washington, may be given his passport for saying the nations of the world have sacrificed their diplomats in Peking for the purpose of forcing a crisis that would lead to the dismemberment of China.

TO REACH CONGER IF ALIVE.

Washington, July 14.—The Chinese minister, Mr. Wu, has undertaken to get through a cipher cable message

from Secretary Hay to United States Minister Conger at Peking and to have the answer brought back if Mr. Conger is alive. The message was prepared by Secretary Hay and its contents are unknown to anyone save him. It was sent to Shanghai Wednesday with explicit instructions from Minister Wu to spare no efforts or expense to get it into the hands of Mr. Conger.

FRANCE MAKES A DEMAND.

Paris, July 14.—The Chinese minister has communicated to M. Delcasse, the minister of foreign affairs, an imperial edict, dated June 29. To this M. Delcasse has replied that since the Chinese government had the means to communicate with its representatives abroad, it ought to guarantee communications between the foreign powers and their representatives at Peking, and he has therefore charged the Chinese minister to transmit a telegram to M. Pichon, the French minister to China.

WILL STAY IN CANTON.

London, July 14.—The scanty cable dispatches add nothing to the knowledge in London of the Chinese situation. It is stated positively from Canton that Li Hung Chang will remain there until the allied troops have defeated Prince Tuan's forces, and will then go north to lend his powerful aid in arranging terms of peace, cooperating with Prince Ching, Yung Lu and the other pro-foreign viceroys. For the present Li Hung Chang considers that he can best control and direct the viceroys from Canton, and also keep in check the turbulent province of Kwang Tung.

All the foreigners and missionaries have evacuated Wen Chau, and have arrived at Ningpo. Large bodies of Boxers appeared at Wen Chau and threatened to exterminate the foreigners and Christians. They also distributed banners, badges and inflammatory anti-foreign appeals.

THE FIGHTING AT TIENTSIN.

The Tientsin correspondent of the Express, telegraphing under date of July 9, asserts that the Chinese are daily driving in the allies. They have mounted, says the correspondent, 12 fresh guns in advantageous positions, with which they are sweeping the streets of the foreign settlement, the incessant fire rendering position after position quite untenable.

The Daily Mail's St. Petersburg correspondent says that in the last six hours' battle outside of Tientsin the Cossacks captured six Krupp guns and killed numbers of fleeing Boxers. The Chinese lost 3,000 killed, including Gen. Kek.

NO NEWS FROM REMEY.

Washington, July 14.—Secretary Long stated at a late hour Friday night that he had not received a word during the day or evening from Admiral Remeys, in command of the Asiatic station, and now in Chinese waters. The fact that the admiral has not made any report of the conditions said to exist in Peking and the reported murder of the ministers the secretary regards as a hopeful sign, as he inclines to the opinion that had any finality occurred in the capital some word or rumor of it might have found its way to Tientsin or Taku.

PLATFROM OF TEACHERS.

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED AT THE CLOSING SESSION OF NATIONAL EDUCATIONAL CONVENTION.

Charleston, S. C., July 14.—The school men and teachers of the National Educational association issued their declaration of principles Friday night at the closing session of the convention. In the declaration, which forms the platform of the association, are the recommendations of the college presidents, school superintendents and teachers upon all prominent school questions under public discussion.

It contains their demand for the extension of the school system to the islands and for the raising of the bureau of education to the position of a department equal to that of the department of labor, if not to that of a cabinet office.

The recommendations were that the bureau of education thus raised to a department standing in the federal government be given direct charge of schools in Alaska, Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines, and that it be enabled to make provisions for the education of white children in the Indian territory.

The resolutions declared against a tendency of the rich to have their children educated outside of the public schools and stated that any movement to conduct the schools simply for the poor or the "less well to do" was directed against the interests of common education.

RECIPROCITY WITH GERMANY.

Washington, July 14.—The newly-signed reciprocity arrangement between the United States and Germany will be proclaimed to-day. The articles upon which Germany secures a reduction of duties have been enumerated already, namely, still wines, paintings and statuary. The amount of the reductions in each case is fixed in the Dingley act. In return, the United States secures the most favored nation treatment, or, in other words, the minimum tariff rates on articles exported to Germany.

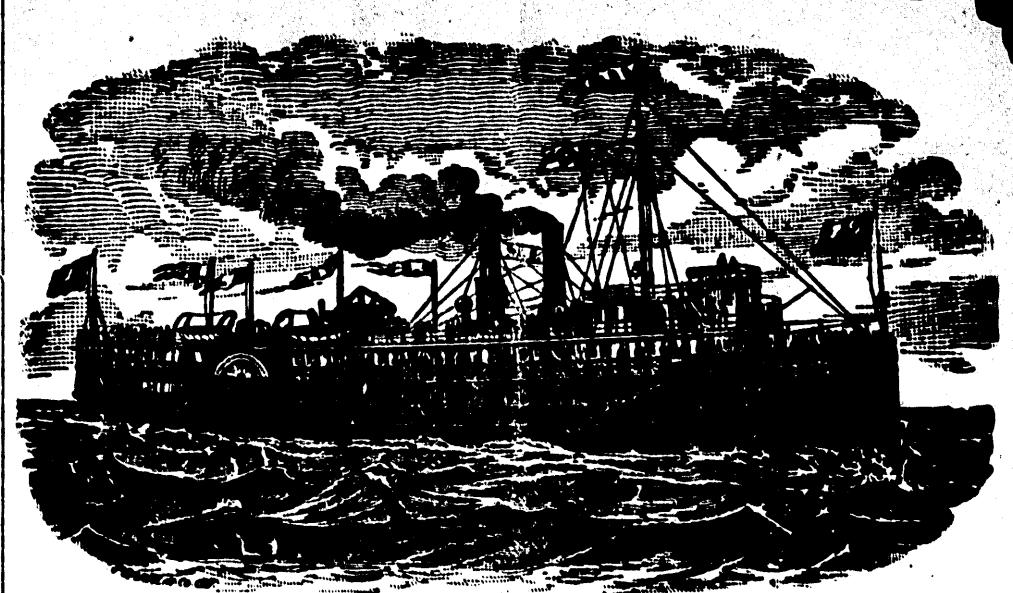
SEVERE STORM AT DUBUQUE.

Dubuque, Ia., July 14.—A terrific rain and electric storm swept over the city in the morning. The rainfall was 1.72 inches in less than three hours. Nellie L. McQuillan, aged 16, was struck and killed by lightning while asleep. The station of the Fourth Street Incline railway was struck and shattered. It is believed great damage was done in the country.

RURAL FREE DELIVERY.

Washington, July 14.—Rural free delivery service has been ordered established on July 23 at Rockford and Rosece, Ill.; Hudson, Mich., and Nor-

Graham & Morton Transportation Company



The elegant steel, side-wheel passenger steamer City of Chicago, and the popular propeller City of Louisville, will run on the route between Chicago, St. Joseph and Benton Harbor, for the time being, according to the following schedule:

Leave Benton Harbor	Leave St. Joseph:	Arrive Chicago:
6:45 a. m. daily ex. Sun. 9 p. m. daily inc. Sun.	7:30 a. m. daily ex. Sun. 5 p. m. daily ex. Sun. 10:30 p. m. daily inc. Sun. 6 p. m. Sunday only.	11:30 a. m. daily ex. Sun. 9 p. m. daily ex. Sun. 4:30 a. m. daily. 10 p. m. Sunday only.
Leave Chicago	Arrive St. Joseph:	Arr. Benton Harbor:
9:30 a. m. daily. 12:30 noon daily ex. Sat. and Sunday.	1:30 p. m. daily. 4:30 p. m. daily ex. Sat. and Sun.	5:30 a. m. daily. 7 p. m. Saturday only.
11:30 p. m. daily inc. Sun. 2 p. m. Saturday only.	4 a. m. daily. 6 p. m. Sundays only.	6 p. m. Saturday only.

The right is reserved to change this schedule without notice.

DOCKS:—Chicago, foot of Wabash Ave. St. Joseph, E. A. Graham, Benton Harbor, N. Water St. J. H. GRAHAM, President J. S. MORTON, Secretary

J.W. LUCAS & CO.
COAL AND WOOD

Office, cor. Sixth and Main, opp. city hall. Telephone 292

WINE OF CARDUI

Woman Knows Woman.

ZURICH, KAN., Jan. 31.
I used Wine of Cardui for nervousness and weakness in the womb. After taking one bottle I was well again. I am a midwife and always recommend Wine of Cardui to my lady friends during pregnancy and after birth as a tonic. Every lady who takes it finds that it does even more than is claimed for it.

MRS. V. M. BOISVERT.



Nobody knows woman like woman. Men go to medical colleges, study books and listen to lectures. They learn indirectly of the diseases of women, but they are men and can never fully understand the ailments, the sufferings, the agonies of mothers, wives and sisters. A woman knows. Mrs. Boisvert knows. She has passed through the trials and tribulations of her sex. She has been near by when her sisters suffered. She has seen them relieved and cured with Wine of Cardui. Is it any wonder she recommends it? Is it any wonder that thousands of other women recommend it?

LADIES' ADVISORY DEPARTMENT
For advice in cases requiring medical attention, address Mrs. Boisvert, Dept. of CHATANOOGA MEDICINE CO., Chatanooga, Tenn.

the weak of all ages, helps and cures all womanly ills.

Druggists Sell Large Bottles for \$1.00.

WINE OF CARDUI

TIME AND SPACE

are practically annihilated by the ocean cables and land telegraph systems which now belt the circumference of Old Earth in so many different directions. "Foreign parts" are no longer foreign in the old meaning of the term. Europe, Africa, Asia, are "next door" to us. What happens there to-day we know to-morrow—if we read THE CHICAGO RECORD, whose Special Cable Correspondents are located in every important city in the world outside of the United States. No other American newspaper ever attempted so extensive a service; and it is supplemented by the regular foreign news service of The Associated Press. For accurate intelligence of the stirring events which are shaking the nations—of wars and rumors of wars—of the threatening dissolution of old governments and the establishment of new—of the onward sweep of the race in all parts of the world—the one medium of the most satisfactory information is the enterprising, "up-to-date" American newspaper, THE CHICAGO RECORD.

A large map of the world on Mercator's Projection, about 23 1/2 x 30 inches in size, beautifully colored in blue and green, will be mailed to any subscriber free of charge on receipt of request accompanied by two 5-cent stamps to the special cable service of THE CHICAGO RECORD covers the entire civilized world. Address THE CHICAGO RECORD, 181 Madison Street, Chicago.

FREE

Large map of the world on Mercator's Projection, about 23 1/2 x 30 inches in size, beautifully colored in blue and green, will be mailed to any subscriber free of charge on receipt of request accompanied by two 5-cent stamps to the special cable service of THE CHICAGO RECORD covers the entire civilized world. Address THE CHICAGO RECORD, 181 Madison Street, Chicago.

THE EVENING NEWS.

FIFTH YEAR—NO. 243

BENTON HARBOR, MICH., SATURDAY, JULY 14, 1900.

TWO CENTS.

THIEVES ARE GETTING THICK

Made Raid at Sister Lakes Last Evening.

Robbed the Postoffice of Stamps and Cash.

Thieves and burglars are getting very thick and their nerve is becoming so marked that Jesse James would be compelled to take a back seat in the congregation of Berrien county burglars.

The daylight robbery of Enders & Young's store yesterday, was without a parallel in this city, the thief entering in daylight, walking to the silk

shelves and sorting out some of the best patterns put them in a grip and deliberately walked out of the store.

Last night the post office and store of J. W. Butler at Sister Lakes was robbed and stamps and money to the amount of \$97 was stolen.

The officers will no doubt organize a systematic net through which no burglar can get away.

BIG MINSTREL CO.

Professional Will Organize in Benton Harbor.

The Hotel Benton is entertaining L. S. Johnson, one of the best known theatrical managers in the United States. While Mr. Johnson is here to rusticate he is also busy with an enterprise which will be known all over the world. For several years Mr. Johnson was the manager of John Griffith, who made such a decided success of Faust, but this year he will embark with a minstrel company second to none. He is making this city his head quarters and securing the best artists to be obtained for his big company. Among them is the famous Billie Rice, who has the honor of receiving a bouquet from the prince of Wales. The whole cast is made up of men of the Billie Rice stamp.

The company will travel in their own private car and will include a fine band and orchestra, a troop of imperial Japanese and every new feature available.

Benton Harbor theatre-goers will have the pleasure of seeing this company. They open in Chicago August 26 and will appear here the night following, August 27.

FUNERAL OF ALLEN BRUNSON.

Will Be One of the Largest in the History of the City.

The funeral of the late Allen Brunson will be one of the largest ever held in this city. The members of the Rebecca lodge are requested to meet at the home of Mrs. E. B. Kelley, 176 Pipestone street, at 1:30 o'clock for the purpose of attending in a body.

All members of the I. O. O. F. are requested to meet at their hall tomorrow at 1 o'clock to attend in a body the funeral services of the late Allen Brunson, which will be held at the residence at 2 o'clock. After the services they will march to the Big Four depot, where a special train will be provided to convey them to Crystal Springs cemetery. They cordially invite all who desire to go to accompany them. The round trip will be 25 cents.

ABOUT THE VICINITY.

Millburg.

Millburg, July 14.—Frank Scofield has severed his connection with his brother's grocery and will now devote his time to organizing lodges in the Woodmen of the World.

Alien Hughes is clerking in the grocery store of Andrew Scofield.

White Man Turned Yellow.

Great consternation was felt by the friends of M. A. Hogarty of Lexington, Ky., when they saw he was turning yellow. His skin slowly changed color, also his eyes, and he suffered terribly. His malady was Yellow Jaundice. He was treated by the best doctors, but without benefit. Then he was advised to try Electric Bitters, the wonderful Stomach and Liver remedy, and he writes: "After taking two bottles I was wholly cured." A trial proves its matchless merit for all Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles. Only 50c. Sold by Lowe & Witherpoon, druggists.

Bicycle Notice.

Persons wishing to get wheels from the Benton Harbor bicycle works please call before 9:30 this evening (Saturday) as the store will be closed from that time until 6:30 Monday morning.

A. F. SCHOELTZ.

Dr. S. M. White, dentist

ASK YOUR GROCER FOR UANDI TEA

SOLD BY ALL FIRST-CLASS DEALERS.
IN SEALED PACKAGES ONLY—PURE AND FRAGRANT.

"IT COSTS NO MORE—TRY IT"
FOR SALE BY J. C. CALKING.

MICHIGAN.

Michigan pensions were granted Thursday as follows: Original—Philo B. Wines, Howell, \$6. Restoration and reissue—Lunsford H. Staley, Ne-gaune, \$25. Renewal—Marion Ly-mans, Scottville, \$6. Increase—Henry Beason, Casnovia, \$8; Charles G. Hale, Vermontville, \$17; Joseph E. Thrasher, Waspi, \$10; John Balkey, Watervile, \$10; Oliver A. Purcha-e, Freeland, \$30; John B. Cross, Ovid, \$10; William F. Hammel, Nashville, \$17; Charles Hillard, Hartford, \$10; Josephus Cook, Coldwater, \$14; Orville S. Ely, Litchfield, \$12; William D. Bachelder, Montague, \$12; Reissie—John M. Field, Kalamazoo, \$17; Robert Cole, Webster, \$14; Widows—Julia Fry, Bravo, \$8; Joseph F. Benning, (father) Romeo, \$12; Mary Hersel, Roseville, \$8; Charlotte A. Fairbank, Petersburg, \$8; Margaret A. Keuter, St. Ignace, \$8; Maggie Lambright, Sickles, \$12; Jennie M. Wilson, Mears, \$12; Mary Wheeler, Crystal, \$8; Spanish war widows—William Renshaw, Vassar, \$12.

Two boys wading in the water near the Grand hotel at Mackinac, found a minnow pail containing the head of a man. There was great excitement for a time, but it was finally decided that the affair was a trick performed by a medical student. The head had been severed from the body by someone who understood the business.

There appears to be an epidemic of appendicitis and the university hospital at Ann Arbor is crowded with patients suffering from this disease.

Bert Pope, of Watervile, stopped in front of a mowing machine to unhitch his team when the horse started, nearly severing the young man's foot.

Congressman Mesick blames his own postmasters in the eleventh district for his defeat for a renomination.

MELONS ARE RIPE.

First Shipment of the Year Last Evening.

The steamer Lawrence of the People's Transit company carried the first melons of the season last night. The melons were of the "Gem" variety from the farm of Otto Moshier of Bainbridge. The consignment was shipped to Seaside & Co., of Milwaukee.

This is the earliest known melon shipment from any Michigan port any year.

The berry shipment was fair and prices were on the advance. Reds reached \$1.20 per case.

"Hunger is the Best Sauce." Yet some people are never hungry, and they get weak and sick. Hood's Sar-saparilla helps such people. It creates a good appetite, gives digestive power and makes the whole body strong.

Sick headache is cured by Hood's Pills, 25c.

This Year's Camp Meeting.

Crystal Springs has an unusually good program for its camp meeting this year. Bishops Hurst and McCabe are to be there on Sunday, August 5; President Ashley of Albion college is to give his great lecture on Savonarola, Saturday evening, August 11, and both he and Dr. Potts of Detroit are to preach on Sunday, August 12.

Dr. Kain, the noted evangelist of Philadelphia, is to give daily Bible readings at 8 a. m. from August 4 to 12 inclusive.

During the camp meeting there will be three preaching services each day. Saturday, August 4, is to be Women's Missionary and Temperance day.

Wednesday, August 8, will be Eworth League day. Don't fail to attend the camp meeting throughout.

It will be a great meeting. For any information as to tents, cottages,

prices, etc., write to the secretary,

Samuel Johnson, Dowagiac, Mich.

The Appetite of a Goat

Is envied by all whose Stomach and Liver are out of order. But such should know that Dr. King's New Life Pills, give a splendid appetite, sound digestion and a regular bodily habit that insures perfect health and great energy. Only 25c at Lowe & Witherpoon's Drug Store.

EXCURSION TO SOUTH HAVEN.

The steamer City of Louisville will make a trip to South Haven next Sunday, July 16, leaving Benton Harbor at 8 a. m. and St. Joseph at 9 a. m. Returning leave South Haven at 3 p. m. FARE 25 CENTS.

At this price can you afford to stay at home? You will have about four hours on shore and four hours on the water, away from heat and dust. Go and take your friends.

4240 GRAHAM & MORTON LINE.

It has been demonstrated by experience that consumption can be prevented by the early use of One Minute Cough Cure. This is the favorite remedy for coughs, colds, croup, asthma, grippe, and all the throat and lung troubles. Cures quickly. G. M. Bell & Co.

Ladies' Hair Dressing and Manicure Parlors.

Ladies wishing to shampoo their own hair try Madam DeCarter's shampoo jelly, finest on the market for bald heads. Try Madam DeCarter hair tonic, cannot be beat. St. Joe, Michigan. Twin city 'phone 319.

Drake & Wallace have a large assortment of camping outfit to rent at reasonable prices.

HUMANS WILL FLY.

Believed That Problem of Air Navigation Has Been Solved.

Count Zeppelin's Airship Said to Have Traveled Successfully Thirty-Five Miles—Remarkable Maneuvers.

Count Zeppelin's experimental trip the other day with his airship from Friederichshafen to Immenstadt, Germany, a distance of 35 miles, is attracting the attention of Europe, but it is difficult to ascertain how far the success of the airship was demonstrated. The reports received here are not precise, and are not from experts. Count Zeppelin is said to have been fully satisfied, but he is represented as not intending to make another trial for two months.

It is claimed that the steering apparatus worked perfectly until the end of the trial, when one of the wires of the steering ropes broke or became entangled in the gear, compelling the navigators to descend. It is said that in descending the airship was successfully guided to an anchored pontoon, on which it alighted and was towed back to Friederichshafen. According to report, while it was in the air at a great height Count Zeppelin headed the vessel against the wind and caused it to perform various evolutions, once describing a huge eight, which astonished the spectators below. The force of the wind was then 20 feet a second. At a height of 1,200 feet the airship covered five miles and a quarter in 17½ minutes.

One correspondent at Constance quotes an anonymous scientist of European reputation as saying that the trial was eminently successful, and clearly demonstrated the possibility of guiding balloons. The airship is admittedly imperfect, but it proves beyond doubt that Count Zeppelin possesses the key of the mystery, and a new era of aerial locomotion has begun.

German military aeronauts who watched the experiment officially are also credited with being much satisfied, but none has published his views.

SURVEYOR JUST IN HIS TEENS.

Missouri Boy of Thirteen Years Acting as His Father's Assistant.

Nevada, Mo., has the youngest county official in the United States. He is Douglas Wood, the 13-year-old son of County Surveyor W. H. Woods, says the St. Joseph Gazette. The lad has been appointed deputy surveyor of Vernon county, and has taken the oath of office the same as a full-grown man. Deputy Surveyor Wood, although just in his teens, has been interested in surveying since he was old enough to know what it meant. His father, who is an engineer and also ex-officio bridge commissioner of Vernon county, assisted the lad in his spare moments, and as a result Douglas became an expert for one of his years.

The lad has been a constant attendant at the Nevada, Mo., schools, and after his studies spent much of his time in his father's office poring over the maps and charts and practicing with the surveying instruments. During vacation his father frequently took him on his surveying trips and found that instead of being a hindrance the boy actually became a great help to him. When Mr. Wood was elected surveyor of Vernon county he looked around for a deputy. The idea struck him that he could secure no better assistant than his son, and so the lad's commission was made out and signed.

The young surveyor is justly proud of his office and has entered upon his duties with great zeal. Since his appointment he has received requests from various newspapers, magazines and other publications all over the United States asking for his photo, and one of the first taken was sent to the Sunday Star.

It Saved His Leg.

P. A. Danforth of LaGrange, Ga., suffered for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg, but writes that Buckle's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in five days. For Ulcers, Wounds, Piles, it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25cts. Sold by Lowe & Witherpoon, druggists.

Baxter's Mandrake Bitters Tablets are

4240 GRAHAM & MORTON LINE.

It has been demonstrated by experience that consumption can be prevented by the early use of One Minute Cough Cure. This is the favorite remedy for coughs, colds, croup, asthma, grippe, and all the throat and lung troubles. Cures quickly. G. M. Bell & Co.

Ladies' Hair Dressing and Manicure Parlors.

Ladies wishing to shampoo their own hair try Madam DeCarter's shampoo jelly, finest on the market for bald heads. Try Madam DeCarter hair tonic, cannot be beat. St. Joe, Michigan. Twin city 'phone 319.

Drake & Wallace have a large assortment of camping outfit to rent at reasonable prices.

4240 GRAHAM & MORTON LINE.

It has been demonstrated by experience that consumption can be prevented by the early use of One Minute Cough Cure. This is the favorite remedy for coughs, colds, croup, asthma, grippe, and all the throat and lung troubles. Cures quickly. G. M. Bell & Co.

4240 GRAHAM & MORTON LINE.

It has been demonstrated by experience that consumption can be prevented by the early use of One Minute Cough Cure. This is the favorite remedy for coughs, colds, croup, asthma, grippe, and all the throat and lung troubles. Cures quickly. G. M. Bell & Co.

4240 GRAHAM & MORTON LINE.

It has been demonstrated by experience that consumption can be prevented by the early use of One Minute Cough Cure. This is the favorite remedy for coughs, colds, croup, asthma, grippe, and all the throat and lung troubles. Cures quickly. G. M. Bell & Co.

4240 GRAHAM & MORTON LINE.

It has been demonstrated by experience that consumption can be prevented by the early use of One Minute Cough Cure. This is the favorite remedy for coughs, colds, croup, asthma, grippe, and all the throat and lung troubles. Cures quickly. G. M. Bell & Co.

4240 GRAHAM & MORTON LINE.

It has been demonstrated by experience that consumption can be prevented by the early use of One Minute Cough Cure. This is the favorite remedy for coughs, colds, croup, asthma, grippe, and all the throat and lung troubles. Cures quickly. G. M. Bell & Co.

4240 GRAHAM & MORTON LINE.

It has been demonstrated by experience that consumption can be prevented by the early use of One Minute Cough Cure. This is the favorite remedy for coughs, colds, croup, asthma, grippe, and all the throat and lung troubles. Cures quickly. G. M. Bell & Co.

4240 GRAHAM & MORTON LINE.

It has been demonstrated by experience that consumption can be prevented by the early use of One Minute Cough Cure. This is the favorite remedy for coughs, colds, croup, asthma, grippe, and all the throat and lung troubles. Cures quickly. G. M. Bell & Co.

4240 GRAHAM & MORTON LINE.

It has been demonstrated by experience that consumption can be prevented by the early use of One Minute Cough Cure. This is the favorite remedy for coughs, colds, croup, asthma, grippe, and all the throat and lung troubles. Cures quickly. G. M. Bell & Co.

4240 GRAHAM & MORTON LINE.

It has been demonstrated by experience that consumption can be prevented by the early use of One Minute Cough Cure. This is the favorite remedy for coughs, colds, croup, asthma, grippe, and all the throat and lung troubles. Cures quickly. G. M. Bell & Co.

4240 GRAHAM & MORTON LINE.

It has been demonstrated by experience that consumption can be prevented by the early use of One Minute Cough Cure. This is the favorite remedy for coughs, colds, croup, asthma, grippe, and all the throat and lung troubles. Cures quickly. G. M. Bell & Co.

4240 GRAHAM & MORTON LINE.

It has been demonstrated by experience that consumption can be prevented by the early use of One Minute Cough Cure. This is the favorite remedy for coughs, colds, croup, asthma, grippe, and all the throat and lung troubles. Cures quickly. G. M. Bell & Co.

4240 GRAHAM & MORTON LINE.

It has been demonstrated by experience that consumption can be prevented by the early use of One Minute Cough Cure. This is the favorite remedy for coughs, colds, croup, asthma, grippe, and all the throat and lung troubles. Cures quickly. G.

THE EVENING NEWS.

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE CITY

SUBSCRIPTION RATES:

Delivered in Benton Harbor or St. Joseph.
One week, 10c
BY MAIL—One year, \$4; three months \$1;
one month, 40c; in advance.
The Weekly News, \$1 a year

Entered at the post office at Benton Harbor
as second-class matter.

OFFICE: 142 Pibstone Street.

TWIN CITY TELEPHONE 172.

SATURDAY, JULY 14, 1900.

LOCAL democrats are quarreling over who will be postmaster when Bryan is elected. An old maid of seventy was once found crying because she feared she might get married and her children would catch the whooping cough. The good democrats should remember that her children never got the cough.

BENTON Harbor can well feel proud of the Ainger guards who won the highest credit in the cannon practice near Mackinac yesterday. No matter whether it is a Benton Harbor brand of furniture, such as the president purchased or anything else, if it has the Benton Harbor brand it always wins.

How's This?
We offer One hundred Dollars Reward for any cure of Cancer that cannot be cured by Hall's Cutterm Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and inclined to carry out any obligations made by the firm. W. H. & TRAUX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Cutterm Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and nervous surfaces of the system. Price 50c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

BIG FOUR EXCURSIONS.

St. Paul, Minn., \$18.37 for round trip tickets, sold July 14, 15 and 16. Good returning July 21.

Cincinnati, O., one fare for the round trip. Tickets sold July 10, 11, 12 and 13. Extreme return limit August 10.

Detroit. One fare for round trip. Tickets sold September 2 and 3, good returning September 10.

Chautauqua Lake. Tickets on sale June 1 to September 30. Good returning October 31, fare \$16.60.

Orion. One fare for round trip. Tickets sold July 11 to 20, good returning August 20.

Emancipation day, August 1, one fare for round trip to points within radius of 50 miles. Return limit August 2.

Detroit. One fare for round trip. Tickets sold August 25, 26, 27 and 28, good returning September 1, or by depositing ticket and payment of 50 cents September 14.

Atlanta, Ga., one fare for the round trip. Tickets sold July 16 and 17. Good returning July 22.

Denver, Colo., one fare plus \$2. Tickets sold July 22 and 23, good returning August 24.

Detroit, Mich., one fare for the round trip, tickets sold July 24 and 25, good returning July 27.

L. G. SMITH, Agent.

Ladies Hair Dressing and Manicure Parlors.

Ladies wishing to shampoo their own hair try Madam DeCarter's shampoo jelly, finest on the market for bald heads. Try Madam DeCarter hair tonic, cannot be beat. St. Joe, Michigan. Twin city phone 319.

Drake & Wallace have a large assortment of camping outfit to rent at reasonable prices.

If you eat popcorn, get the best; on tap at Spark's stand, east side Pipe stone street. Try it, finest in the city. t/233

Oiphant Bros., 115 Pleasant street upholsterers. O.D. furniture repaired and made to look like new. Planos and other furniture re-finished. t/233

Drake & Wallace have a large assortment of camping outfit to rent at reasonable prices.

Cement and Brick Sidewalks.

I am prepared to put down brick or cement sidewalks and guarantee satisfaction. Address G. H. Burwell, rural delivery, and I will call. 26238

Army of the Cumberland.

Washington, July 14.—Gen. D. S. Stanley, president of the Society of the Army of the Cumberland, has designated October 9, 10 and 11 as the dates for the next annual reunion at Chattanooga, Tenn. This meeting will be in conjunction with a general reunion of the veterans of all the armies, both union and confederate, who served in the campaigns about Chattanooga.

Convention Brought to a Close.

Charleston, S. C., July 14.—Prof. William M. Beardshar, of the Iowa state college of agriculture, was the first speaker at the morning session of the National Educational Association. His paper dealt with the influence of poetry in education from the basis of aesthetics. The convention closed at night with the report of the committee on resolutions.

Victim of Lockjaw.

Toledo, O., July 14.—Clifford Billsy, a son of Charles Billsy, of Norwalk, died a horrible death from lockjaw, caused by jumping on to a thorn, which penetrated his foot. The body was drawn into a horrible shape during his contortions, his heels touching the back of his head.

Heavy Loss by Fire.

Pittsburgh, Pa., July 14.—The Garland chain works, at Rankin, Pa., were destroyed by fire Friday afternoon. Loss, \$100,000. The fire was caused by the explosion of a tank of chemicals.

Now is A Good Time

To buy real estate, prices are bound to be higher. Prospects for Benton Harbor and vicinity were never brighter. Call and see us for what you want. Our list is too large to give it here.

Antisdale & Loomis,

104 Water Street,

Benton Harbor, Mich.

CHECKED BY BOERS.

Fuller Details of Latest Repulse of the British.

DISASTROUS FIGHT ON WEDNESDAY.

Part of the Lincolnshire Regiment is surrounded—Forced to Resist a Severe Attack—Many Men are Slain.

Pretoria, July 13.—Col. Mahon, reinforced by Gen. French's brigade, Thursday took all the positions held by the Boers in the neighborhood of Rietfontein. A number of Boer dead were found. The British casualties were trifling.

Details are now at hand regarding the disaster to the Lincolnshire regiment on Wednesday. It appears that five companies were ordered Tuesday to proceed and hold the pass through Magalsburg in the neighborhood of Daspootfontein. They arrived at the pass in the afternoon where three companies with two guns took up a position and camped for the night, leaving two companies on a plain south of the pass.

The eastern hill was rugged, rocky and inaccessible, but further east apparently approachable from the main ridge. At daybreak Wednesday the Boers appeared on the eastern kopje and opened a heavy fire. Confusion ensued. The colonel ordered the men to take up a position on a kopje west of the gap. From this point a hot fire ensued during the entire day. Two guns under the escort of the Scots Greys placed in advance of the main body were captured after a stout resistance. Nearly every man was killed or wounded.

Maxim Brought into Action.
A Maxim gun was brought into action early in the day. The fire was too hot and the men were finally forced to retire. A sergeant, aided by seven volunteers, saved the gun. There was a continuous fire all along the line. The Lincolnshire regiment men vigorously replying. About three o'clock in the afternoon the Boers appeared to the left of the position occupied by the British. An officer and 15 men attempted to charge them. Fourteen men were killed or wounded as the result of the charge.

Three Companies Surrounded.
Three companies were practically surrounded, but they kept up a steady fire unswervingly until towards nightfall, when their ammunition had been expended. The latest arrival from the scene said at the moment of his escape the men were taking a good position under cover and with fixed bayonets were awaiting the approach of the Boers.

Losses of British Numerous.
It is feared that the losses of the British were numerous. About 30 of the British soldiers struggled back to camp. According to all accounts a great force is being assembled to prevent further progress of the Boers.

Commandant Grobler, who commanded the federals at Nitrals neck, had four guns.

Stays with De Wet.

British prisoners who have escaped to Kroonstadt report that Gen. De Wet's force of 13,600 men, with ten guns, expelled from Bethlehem by Gen. Clements and Gen. Paget, have taken up a strong position 15 miles to the southward, in the hills around Rietnek. President Steyn is reported to be with them.

RUINED BY DROUGHT.

Continued Hot and Dry Weather Proves Very Damaging to Corn in Kansas.

Kansas City, Mo., July 14.—Kansas corn is being ruined by drought. Reports received by local grain men from the biggest corn counties in the state, Jewel, Republic, Smith, Phillips, Mitchell, Cloud, Clay, Dickinson, Reno and some others, say the crop is half destroyed already, and will be almost completely ruined if rains do not come in the next few days. There has been but little rain over the section named for from three to four weeks, and during this time the weather has been extremely hot. Thursday and Friday in central Kansas the temperature averaged 100 degrees.

Army of the Cumberland.

Washington, July 14.—Gen. D. S. Stanley, president of the Society of the Army of the Cumberland, has designated October 9, 10 and 11 as the dates for the next annual reunion at Chattanooga, Tenn. This meeting will be in conjunction with a general reunion of the veterans of all the armies, both union and confederate, who served in the campaigns about Chattanooga.

Convention Brought to a Close.

Charleston, S. C., July 14.—Prof. William M. Beardshar, of the Iowa state college of agriculture, was the first speaker at the morning session of the National Educational Association. His paper dealt with the influence of poetry in education from the basis of aesthetics. The convention closed at night with the report of the committee on resolutions.

Victim of Lockjaw.

Toledo, O., July 14.—Clifford Billsy, a son of Charles Billsy, of Norwalk, died a horrible death from lockjaw, caused by jumping on to a thorn, which penetrated his foot. The body was drawn into a horrible shape during his contortions, his heels touching the back of his head.

Heavy Loss by Fire.

Pittsburgh, Pa., July 14.—The Garland chain works, at Rankin, Pa., were destroyed by fire Friday afternoon. Loss, \$100,000. The fire was caused by the explosion of a tank of chemicals.

Now is A Good Time

To buy real estate, prices are bound to be higher. Prospects for Benton Harbor and vicinity were never brighter. Call and see us for what you want. Our list is too large to give it here.

SHORT SPECIALS.

Nebraska prohibitionists named L. O. Jones as candidate for governor.

Railroad officials complain that Boer troubles in China are hurting transportation business.

A dispatch from Christiania announces the serious illness of Henrik Ibsen, who is suffering from erysipelas.

Lewis G. Tewksbury, a New York broker and speculator, is missing. It is said he owes from \$35,000 to \$40,000.

A witness in the Jester murder trial swore Friday the prisoner once admitted choking Gilbert Gates almost to death in a dream.

Senor Silvela, the Spanish premier, says that no Spanish war vessels will go to China, Spain having no interests to defend in the extreme orient.

Mrs. Daniel Manning was the host at the presentation in Paris of a medal commemorating the American revolution to the granddaughter of Lafayette.

Representative Champ Clark, of Missouri, announces that he is a candidate to succeed Senator George G. Vest when the latter's present term shall expire.

The danger of an uprising of the Blanket Indians at Red Lake, Minn., is increasing. Armed men have left Solway with extra ammunition for settlers, who expect an attack.

Hon. E. H. Estee, Justice of the United States district court of Hawaii, has appointed Walter B. Halling, of Portland, Me., a nephew of Senator Perkins, of California, clerk of his court.

Two thousand solicitors engaged by the trades and labor unions of St. Louis to canvass the city and collect contributions for the striking street railway men's bus lines began work Friday.

The fifth day of the trial of the case of the state of Kentucky against ex-Secretary of State Caleb Powers, charged with complicity in the murder of Goebel, saw the completion of the jury.

The election of officers was the principal business transacted by the Illinois state Epworth league convention in session in Peoria Friday morning. Thomas M. Marshall was elected president.

At the National Educational association meeting at Charleston, S. C., it was urged that the bureau of education be given direct charge of schools in Alaska, Porto Rico and the Philippines.

After the crush of people and the exciting incidents of Thursday comparative quiet prevailed at the McKinley home in Canton, O., Friday morning. The town itself is positively disfigured for this season.

THE BALL GAMES.

Bores Made in the Professional Contests on Friday—Standing of the Clubs.

The following tables show the position occupied by the clubs of leading baseball organizations in the struggle for championship honors. National league: Clubs. Won. Lost. Per cent. Brooklyn 42 24 .636 Chicago 39 31 .637 Pittsburgh 37 32 .636 Philadelphia 36 32 .629 Cincinnati 34 35 .625 St. Louis 39 36 .626 Boston 29 36 .486 New York 32 41 .349 American league: Chicago 43 30 .589 Indianapolis 40 30 .751 Milwaukee 41 32 .662 Cleveland 36 34 .514 Detroit 33 39 .455 Indianapolis 34 41 .453 Kansas City 35 33 .449 Buffalo 30 43 .413

National league games on Friday: At New York—New York, 14, 19, 1; Brooklyn, 1, 6, 6. At Pittsburgh—Philadelphia, 23, 24, 6; Pittsburgh, 8, 9, 5. At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 1, 6, 1; St. Louis, 0, 5, 2 (9 Innings).

American league: At Buffalo—Buffalo, 10, 12; Kansas City, 2, 6, 2. At Cleveland—Minneapolis, 5, 5, 2; Cleveland, 1, 9, 1. At Detroit—Detroit, 6, 12, 3; Chicago, 6, 7, 1. At Indianapolis—Indianapolis, 8, 7; Milwaukee, 3, 8, 2.

Interstate league: At Wheeling—Columbus, 7, 9, 2; Wheeling, 3, 9, 3. At Newcastle—Dayton, 1, 7, 1; Newcastle, 0, 3. At Mansfield—Fort Wayne, 5, 8, 0; Mansfield, 1, 4, 3. At Youngstown—Toledo, 4, 11, 3; Youngstown, 2, 4, 0.

THE MARKETS.

Grain, Provisions, Etc.

WHEAT—Lower. Chicago, July 13. September, 70 1/2c.

OATS—Lower. August, 23 1/2c. September, 20 1/2c.

RYE—Market weaker and rather dull, No. 2 quoted at 57 1/2c, and No. 3 at 56 1/2c. September delivery, 5 3/4c.

BARLEY—Remains scarce, stable and firm. Screenings quoted at 31 1/2c. Feed and export, 30 1/2c. Low malting, 43 1/2c, and fair to good, 45 1/2c, and choice, 48 1/2c.

MEAT—Market moderately active, and prices steady. Quotations ranged at \$6.85 to \$7.50 for regular, \$6.90 to \$8.25 for choice old, \$6.75 to \$8.50 for July, \$6.90 to \$8.25 for September, and \$6.90 to \$8.25 for October.

SHIRT RIB SIDES—Trade fairly active, and prices lower. Quotations ranged at \$6.85 to \$7.15 for cash, according to weight, \$6.90 to \$7.02 for July, and \$6.97 to \$7.02 for September.

NEW POTATOES—Market weak and lower. Early Ohios, per bushel, 30 1/2c; home grown, 1 1/2 bushels, 50c.

EGGS—Quotably steady to firm. Loss off, cases returned, quotably, 11c; at mark, 8 1/2c; city recanned, new cases included, quotably, 11 1/2c.

BUTTER—Quiet and easy. Creameries, extra, 18 1/2c per pound; firsts, 17 1/2c; seconds, 15 1/2c; dairies, 14 1/2c; imitation creameries, 13 1/2c.

NEW FLOUR—Market weak and lower. Early Ohios, per bushel, 30 1/2c; winter, 35 1/2c; decline to sell. Winter straights, 33 1/2c; winter, 34 1/2c; Minnesota patent, 4 1/2c; winter, 4 1/2c; winter, 4 1/2c; closed 4 1/2c; December, 4 1/2c; closed 4 1/2c.

CORN—Spot weak. No. 2, 51c; options closed weak, 48 1/2c net decline; July, 48 1/2c; closed 48 1

BENTON HARBOR SHORT ITEMS

DATES TO RESERVE.

July 18—Berrien county republican nominating convention at St. Joseph.
July 24—Benefit entertainment at Bell's for Mercy hospital.
July 26—Republican representative convention at Niles.
July 29—State senatorial convention at Niles.

IN LOCAL BUSINESS CIRCLES. ON FERRY ROUTE

The steamer Richmond will make regular trips between Benton Harbor and St. Joseph, leaving old ferry dock, Benton Harbor, at 8:30 every morning to connect with the steamer Tourist and will make round trips every thirty minutes. Fare five cents. Ladies round trip tickets for five cents every day but Sunday. The boat can be chartered for evening excursions at reasonable rates. Enquire on board. t/234

Special sale on ice cream freezers for the next ten days. B. L. HALL CO.

The law holds both maker and distributor of a counterfeit equally guilty. The dealer who sells you a dangerous counterfeit of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve risks your life to make a little larger profit. You cannot trust him. DeWitt's is the only genuine and original Witch Hazel Salve, a well known cure for piles and all skin diseases. See that your dealer gives you DeWitt's Salve. G. M. Bell & Co.

Drake & Wallace have a large assortment of camping outfit to rent at reasonable prices.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers are famous little pills for liver and bowel troubles. Never gripe. G. M. Bell & Co.

If you have a house to rent or want your buildings, merchandise or furniture insured, telephone Hubbard & Van Horn, No. 195 postoffice block, 12th.

A gentleman recently cured of dyspepsia gave the following appropriate rendering of Burns' famous blessing: "Some have meat and can not eat, and some have none that want it; but we have meat and we can eat—Kodal Dyspepsia Cure be thanked." This preparation will digest what you eat. It instantly relieves and radically cures indigestion and all stomach disorders. G. M. Bell & Co.

Wisconsin Central Railway.

Trains now leave Chicago from Central Station, Park Row and 12th Street, Lake Front, connecting with C. & W. M. and Michigan Central trains, for St. Paul, Minneapolis, Ashtabula and the Northwest. Nearest ticket agent can give you further information. JAS. C. POND, G. P. A., Milwaukee, Wis.

For burns, injuries, piles and skin diseases use DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is the original. Counterfeits may be offered. G. M. Bell & Co.

Quiet and Comfortable.

The steamer Frank Woods leaves for Chicago from dock foot, Seventh street, at 9:30 every evening except Saturday. Fare 50 cents.

20219 BENTON TRANSIT CO.

Drake & Wallace have a large assortment of camping outfit to rent at reasonable prices.

Drake & Wallace have a large assortment of camping outfit to rent at reasonable prices.

For Rent—A fine new Emerson upright piano. A six months lease will be given at a moderate price to good parties. Enquire of 22nd Pipetstone street. 23240

FOR

Ballinger's - Express

Leave orders at J. E. Rice's paint and paper store. No. 148 Pipetstone st.

Office Phone 601. Res. Phone 675

Twin City Floral Co.

...Cut Flower Prices....

Roses—pink, yellow & white, per doz. 30c
Roses—Meteor Red, per doz. 40c
Carnations, per doz. 15c

HOTEL BENTON BARBER SHOP

HOADLEY & ANNIS, Props.

It is by far the finest in the city if not in the state.

FINE NEW Bath Rooms

With gentlemanly attendants. The best of tubs, and everything neat and clean.

Special attention given to

...the...
...the...



ELMORE SISTERS.

THE TWO MERRY TRAMPS
COMPANY.

CASH FOR TOBACCO TAGS.

For a limited time I will pay one-half cent each for tin tags from "STAND-ARD NAVY" and "Spear Head" pipe tobacco. Roy Wallace at Wall.

"Man's Work is Never Done."

Rev. L. W. Earl will speak at the Rescue Mission tomorrow evening. THE Graham & Morton company will run one of their popular excursions to South Haven tomorrow.

"The Two Merry Tramps" will be the big comedy successes of the coming theatrical season.

A. KENNEDY has purchased an elegant new phaeton and added it to his already fine line of carriages.

GALIEN Advocate: John T. Beckwith sold property in Benton township to Ada R. Baker. Consideration, \$1,000.

GEORGE Dater is making many improvements in his Morton Hill home, among them being a fine colonial porch.

A LITTLE child from Chicago at Ben Eastman's home, fell yesterday and broke her arm. Dr. John Bell was called.

THE examination of ex-Mail Carrier Phillips was set for yesterday before Justice Kimball, but was postponed until next Wednesday.

M. C. ALGER has sold his interest in the feed barn on Seventh street to Dr. B. O. Johnson and in part payment took the lot at the corner of Elm and Seventh streets.

THE delivery horse of D. Hunt became frightened at a piece of paper on Pipetstone street this morning, the tug strap unfastened and the horse made a hasty run to the store, where he was stopped.

Four cases of raspberries were brought to town this morning of a new variety known as Shafer's Colossus. The berries are a deep red and very rich.

OLIPHANT Brothers, the new firm of upholsterers on Pleasant street, are making a success of their undertaking. Yesterday they delivered a wagon load of refinished furniture to the home of Dr. White.

Reporters from the Berrien township caucus yesterday say that the township will be divided between Ellsworth and Van Riper, and it is possible that two of the delegates will vote for some other candidate than Tannatt.

CHARLES BENNETT, Noble Grand of the Odd Fellows, requests all members to meet at their lodge room at 10 o'clock Sunday afternoon to attend the funeral of the late Allen Brunson.

FOUR hobos tried to break into Willey's meat market on Territorial street early this morning. Chief Johnson and two of his officers chased the men into the marsh back of the Squire Dingee pickle works. Later in the day they were caught near the Alden canning factory and sent from the city.

A NUMBER of Benton Harbor and St. Joseph people went to Berrien Centre this morning to witness the game of baseball between the Berrien Centre Maroons and the South Bend Green Stockings.

BENTON Harbor has a new newspaper, The Twin City Baptist. It is a monthly paper published in the interests of the Baptist church and Rev. C. E. Maxfield is the pastor. The paper will sell for 25 cents a year.

MARQUETTE Rebekah Lodge, No. 284, will have a special meeting Saturday evening, July 14, for the purpose of drill. The members are earnestly requested to be present.

THEIR will be a meeting of Twin City uniform rank, K. P., at J. O. Howe's office in the Mills block at 6 o'clock Saturday evening. It is desired that there be a large attendance as arrangements will be made for going to the national encampment.

THE moonlight excursion given by the Presbyterian ladies' aid society was well attended. Fully one hundred and fifty took advantage of the beautiful evening. Ice cream and cake were served on board and an enjoyable hour was spent at Emery's resort. The excursionists were entertained by two comic colored singers.

GEORGE W. Reed, the agent here for the Metropolitan life insurance company, received a letter from the head office today announcing that his company had written a million dollar policy on the life of Mr. Hahne of Jersey City. The annual premium on the policy is only \$8,000 and Mr. Reed will doubtless endeavor to write a larger policy here.

AN enthusiastic meeting of the ladies of the Baptist church was held at the parsonage yesterday afternoon, for the purpose of laying plans to assist in paying the church debt. The ladies unanimously decided to make immediate preparations for a "Rummage Sale," details of which they will soon be ready to lay before the public. It is sufficient for the present, to say that it will be a large affair and one in which all Benton Harbor will be interested. Watch carefully for future announcements. Tomorrow the pastor will state the present condition of the debt. All are urged to be present.

COMING SOON!

Dr. S. M. White, dentist

Wm. Edward Robinson
Physician and Surgeon

Office and Residence, Hotel Berrien.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN.

CASH FOR TOBACCO TAGS.

For a limited time I will pay one-half cent each for tin tags from "STAND-ARD NAVY" and "Spear Head" pipe tobacco. Roy Wallace at Wall.

...the...
...the...

J. C. CALKINS'

you will find

Not only One Quality but All Qualities.
Not only One Price but Any Price.
Not One Kind but All Kinds.

Teas

of all kinds, prices, and qualities.

You get just what you pay for. Prices range from 25c to 75c per pound.

Coffee

of all kinds and qualities from 10c to 40c a pound.

We don't recommend the cheap kind. Our high grade coffees have cup qualities that please.

Spices

of all kinds and qualities.

You get just what you pay for and you'll find it just as represented by us.

We do not misrepresent our goods. Anything bought at our store can be depended on. If it's adulterated article we'll tell you. If it's pure, and we say so, you need have no hesitation in taking our word for it.

J. C. CALKINS,

154-156 Pipestone St

Phone 90.

A NEW WAY



To
Arkansas
Texas
and the
Southwest

Cotton Belt Route

The Texas Train

Leaves CHICAGO daily at 1:30 p.m.

Through Coaches
Reclining Chair Cars
Buffet Sleeping Cars

Train Wide Vestibuled
Heated by Steam
Lighted by Gas

Fastest Through Service to Texas

For Rates, Time Tables and Further Information, address

F. G. BARLOW
Traveling Passenger Agent
GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.

C. L. STONE
Gen'l Pass'r and Tr. Agent
CHICAGO

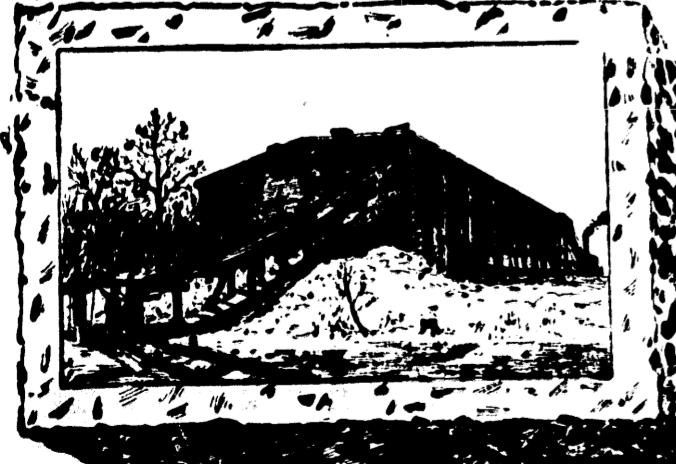
The Evening News

10 cents a week delivered, gives you
all the news.

The Weekly News

\$1.00 a year, will keep you posted on
Benton Harbor events.

UNION ICE & COAL COMPANY



Ice by the carload or at retail. Dealers in pure spring-water ice from Paw Paw lake. Give us a call when ready for ice. We aim to please. Wood and coal always on hand.

Capacity of Ice House 10,000 tons.

Capacity of Elevator, 75 to 80 cakes per minute.

THE OLDEST BRIDE.

Mrs. Samuel Decker Married at the Age of Ninety-Eight.

She and her young husband give a modest exposition of their love in their little home near Waterloo, N. Y.

At the age of 98 Mrs. Samuel Decker is a bride. If there is an older bride in the world the news will be a great disappointment to her, for she is proud of her distinction.

Like many other ladies of mature years, she allowed the tender sentiment to be awakened by a man young enough to be her son. The bridegroom is a strapping of 75.

"I couldn't bear to marry an old man," said Mrs. Decker to a New York World correspondent. "They say a woman is as old as she looks, and a man is as young as he feels. Well, Samuel says I don't look a day over 80. Maybe that's just lover's talk. He won me over that way when we began sparkin'. And he said he felt every bit of 85, what with the rheumatiz and the asthma. So that makes our ages just right, don't it?"

And the happy bride displayed her gums in a coquettish smile.

The Deckers are giving their modest exposition of love in a cottage at a point midway between the villages of Waterloo and Clyde, N. Y., within the town limits of Tyre. They have an acre of land, a tiny apple orchard and a little brown dwelling. Mrs. Decker has lived there 40 years and has buried two husbands from the little brown dwelling.

She was born in Onondaga county, eight miles east of Syracuse, on November 27, 1822. She had two brothers, both of whom fought in the war of 1812. Her father, Godfrey Reels, a pioneer hunter and trapper, did much bartering with the Onondaga Indians, with whom he was on friendly terms.

In 1832, after the death of her parents, Miss Reels became the wife of



MRS. SAMUEL DECKER.
(She Became a Bride at the Ripe Old Age
of Ninety-Eight.)

Thomas Preston. They moved to Tyre, transporting their household goods in a large covered wagon drawn by four oxen.

Preston, in 1850, bought the little brown dwelling with the apple orchard and the acre of ground. Ten years later he died.

Widowed at the age of 68, Mrs. Preston felt that fate had been cruel to her. She could not endure a lonely life, and her heart was still susceptible. Albert Brainerd, of Waterloo, paid court to her, and for the second time she stood at the altar and blushingly married "I will." That was in 1873.

Brainerd was not all her fancy had painted him. He was cross. He lost his health and could not work. His faithful wife worked hard, but for some years they were obliged to accept aid from the parish. About a year ago he died, at the age of 89.

Not yet was the twice widowed daughter of a pioneer prepared to spend her days in single blessedness. A century of life was nearing its close for her, but she was not proof against the assaults of Cupid.

Samuel Decker came along, a gallant cavalier in all the manly vigor of 75 summers. It was a case of love at first sight. When the newcomer in burning words confessed his infatuation she shyly acknowledged that he was the only man in the world for her.

A few days ago Rev. Pulaski Smith, of the Magee Baptist church, drove up to the little brown dwelling. There was a simple but touching ceremony in the parlor. The Widow Brainerd was again a bride. When asked about her health the bride said:

"I have rheumatiz some, but otherwise I'm purty smart."

The bridegroom said that he, too, was "smart."

Saints and Post Offices.

An official report just issued by the International Postal Union at Berne contains some interesting statistics. We learn from it that there are 223,500 post offices throughout the world, and that a larger number of these than anyone would imagine—namely, 6,000—are in places which have been named after some saint. Among the saints whose names are found most frequently in post office directories are Anthony, Bernhard, Francis, George, John, Joseph, Lawrence, Martin, Nicholas, Peter, Paul, Silvestrin, Vincent and Saint Anna and Saint Clara. It is needless to say that, as so many places have the same name, the post office officials have frequently some difficulty in delivering letters to the proper persons.

Out from Napoleon's Head.

An authentically genuine lock of the first Napoleon's hair, cut from his head on his deathbed at St. Helena, has just changed hands at Paris, the purchaser paying \$1,250 for it.

Quart Pails of All Sizes.

An Irish grocer advertises "quart pails of all sizes for sale cheap."

Pinkham

Facts

Mrs. Pinkham personally attends to her tremendous correspondence with suffering women.

Her trained assistants are all women.

The letters from women are opened by women only.

They are read by women only.

They are answered by women and only women.

The correspondence is sacredly confidential.

Write for a book Mrs. Pinkham has just published which contains letters from the mayor of Lynn, the postmaster of Lynn and others of her own city who have made careful investigation.

Mrs. Pinkham has helped a million women who suffered with female troubles. She can cure YOU. Her address is Lynn, Mass.

Filtered Water vs. Typhoid Fever.

The filtration of the water supply of cities by means of sand filter beds or mechanical contrivances has rapidly advanced in this country during the past ten years, but it is far more general in Great Britain than here. Mr. Allen Hazen, an authority on sanitary engineering, avers that the fact is fully established that the death rate from typhoid fever is materially lowered by the filtration of the water supply. In Great Britain cities containing an aggregate population of more than 10,000,000 people use a sand-filtered water supply, and the result, it is claimed, is shown in London's freedom from typhoid. In this country only one-tenth of the towns and cities have filtered water.—Youth's Companion.

Some English Financing.

Not only babies, such as Methuena Modderina Belmontina Jones, but also companies are receiving names commemorative of the war. There has just been registered, for instance, the Spion syndicate, which will carry on the business of bankers, capitalists, financiers, promoters and so on, with an authorized capital of £20. A similar company with a similar capital to transact similar business, promoted apparently under the same auspices, is the Delta syndicate. The one company is presumably to bring the power of its capital to reinforce the other. With £20 to back up £20, there is no saying what may be done in the way of banking, capitalizing and financing.—Westminster Gazette.

Didn't Scatter His Blows.

Some years ago a number of horsemen pulled off a fight at Brutus. The "go" was between Brutus Clay and a negro who hustled for his pork chops. After the fight had gone three rounds the hustler quit. His seconds said to him: "Say, what are you quittin' for? You are doing all right, and you can beat him."

But the hustler said: "I ain't agoin' to fight that man any more, 'cause he don't scatter his blows enough."

Brutus used a straight left on the nose all the way through.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Where Ignorance Is Bliss.

Mrs. Waggs—Why, Mr. Juggs, I'm delighted to see you out so soon. From what my husband said about your illness I imagined it would be months before you were able to walk without crutches.

Mr. Juggs—Why-er-really, Mrs. Waggs, I don't quite catch the drift of your remarks. I haven't been ill. What did your husband say?

Mrs. Waggs—He said you were paralyzed at the club last night, and it took three men to get you home.—Chicago Daily News.

Appropriate Name.

There is a large cat farm in Lincoln county, Ore., and the residents in the vicinity have obtained the consent of the post office department to the christening of their post office by the name of Angora. The first postmaster of Angora, it is said, bears the appropriate name of Thomas Tom.—N. Y. Tribune.

An Explanation.

Tom—What have you in that locket? Jack—A little souvenir of a hair-breadth escape.

"What is it like?"

"Oh, it's merely a lock of hair from the head of a dashing widow to whom I was engaged last summer—but didn't marry."—Chicago Evening News.

The Difference.

The difference between "ill" and "sick" was illustrated the other day by a Somerville man as follows: "When I found that I was ill, I sent for the doctor. When I got the doctor's bill it made me sick."—Somerville Journal.

It's.

Mrs. Hicks (in the kitchen)—Why don't you devote an hour or two a week to scaring up your copper?

Bridge—Teour up me copper, mumm; Iindade, I like of him don't need it.—Haw Haw.

Joy.

Have Profited by Their Teaching.

Europeans have been teaching the Chinese how to fight. The New York World asks what for?

PROBLEM SOLVED BY TURTLE.

Ancient Crustacean Found by Dr. Wieland Proves That Black Hills Was Once an Ocean.

Ten millions of years ago the turtle whose skeleton has been found by Dr. G. R. Wieland, of Yale, lived. Dr. Wieland found his skeleton on the cliffs on the banks of the Cheyenne river in the Black Hills country. It was imbedded in a cretaceous formation, proving that at the time when the turtle lived that region was covered with a salt water ocean. This discovery in itself solves one of the long-disputed problems of geology.

Dr. Wieland is one of the greatest authorities on turtles in America. He has traced back through the centuries and even millions of years of the world the evolution of this race of animals, and he had found that the only respect in which the turtle has changed materially is in its size. His character has deteriorated, incidentally, but his face characteristics are the same as they were ten millions of years ago. When the specimen just found and restored at Yale lived, turtles were from 12 to 14 feet in length. They weighed from three to six tons. They were swift swimmers and were powerful beasts of prey, at home on sea and land, and with a beak shaped like that of an eagle. Their fierceness made them one of the most formidable of beasts of a million centuries ago. The fish of those days feared the turtles as they feared death itself.

Dr. Wieland's turtle belongs to the geological period known as the trisassic. In this and the succeeding period, the jurassic, the turtle gained its ascendancy by sweeping all rivals from the field and water. Late in the jurassic period he waxed fat and lazy and declined in his prowess. He soon disappeared except in the degenerate types which have survived, and allowed to exist because harmless and still clever in their defensive warfare or versatility in power of concealment.

Dr. Wieland is in charge of one of the departments at the Peabody museum, Yale, where he has just had the skeleton of the turtle mounted and placed on exhibition.

TRAVELED IN A FREIGHT CAR.

Penniless Young Married Couple Trying to Reach Nebraska Friends.

Patrolman Mitchell found John G. Todd, aged 29, and his young wife, aged 19, in a box car in the Rock Island yards at Omaha, Neb., the other day. They had come in on a night train and had been observed by the trainmen. The attention of the police was called to the couple, and later in the morning Mitchell took them to the station.

There the woman told a pathetic story. She said she was married to Todd in Omaha last February. She had first met him during the Omaha exposition, which she visited with her parents, who live at Louis City, Neb. It was a case of love at first sight. The date was set for the wedding, and Todd was to go to Louis City, but something happened to prevent. The girl, whose maiden name was Edith A. Renfrew, went to Omaha and was married to Todd. From there they went to Chicago, where Todd found employment as a stenographer. Soon after his eyes began to fail. He nearly lost his sight and had to give up his job. He ran out of money.

He and his wife left Chicago several days ago to tramp to Denver, where Todd has relatives. They had two dollars when they started. They reached Council Bluffs with 55 cents of the money left. When searched at the station they had but 20 cents. Mrs. Todd had her marriage certificate along with her to show the officers. She is rather an attractive girl, but was shabbily dressed.

They were released. The police hope that passage may in some way be provided for the woman. She says, however, that she will not leave her husband to make his way to Denver alone.

TO EXPLORE THE ANDES.

Sir Martin Conway, the Celebrated Explorer and Mountain Climber, Tells of His Plans.

Sir Martin Conway, the celebrated explorer and mountain climber, has arrived at New York on the White Star Line steamship Oceanic en route to explore the Andes. "I have come over to continue explorations in the Andes, which began in 1888," he said. "I intend to do no high climbing, nor do I expect to visit practically unexplored country. Two years ago I explored and surveyed the west slope of the Andes. I have come back to explore the east slope. I shall be gone until Christmas. The party will go into the Andes at Mollendo, where there is a railroad to Lake Titicaca, which is the most interesting body of water 12,000 feet above the sea level. There you can get both seasick and mountain sick. The sensation is horrible. At present I hold the record for high climbing, having ascended Aconcagua, in the Andes, Argentina, and having gone up the same height in the Himalayas."

Sir Martin has been engaged in exploring for 27 years. His three great achievements are exploring the Himalayas in 1892, when he ascended Pioneer peak, Kalakorma, 23,000 feet; the Alps, in 1894, where in 86 days he traveled 1,000 miles, climbed 21 peaks and 39 passes, and Spitzbergen. He visited there in 1896, made 13 mountain ascents and surveyed 600 miles of unknown country.

We would respectfully invite all interested to call and examine and see for themselves the benefits we are receiving daily. Full particulars gladly given at

The Evening News of

IF You Want

ST. JOSEPH

News Notes About the Bustling
Lake Town

Engineer Runs on

Draw Bridge Too Soon.

A little after 3 o'clock Friday afternoon a peculiar accident happened on the Pere Marquette bridge over the St. Joseph river, which obstructed for several hours all traffic.

A yard engine was pushing a car loaded with soft coal along the truss work leading to the bridge proper. The bridge had just swung in and the engineer of the engine, not able to see the signals of the bridge tenders, presumed the bridge was clean shut.

Consequently he pushed on. The bridge, however, had caught and when the car struck it the car was slung from the track, the coal being spilled in all directions. The tenders were unable to move the bridge for several hours.

Meanwhile the steamer Chicago had arrived from Benton Harbor and was awaiting an opportunity to reach her dock in St. Joseph. The steamer Milwaukee had arrived from Chicago and after discharging its freight was as anxious to get to Benton Harbor as her sister steamer was to reach St. Joseph.

Finally the freight and passengers were changed from one boat to the other, and the Milwaukee returned to Chicago, the Chicago to Benton Harbor.

The damage to the bridge was light. Two ties were broken and a little of the woodwork crushed.

Miss Jennie Jones, Main street, entertained a few friends last evening.

Logan circle No. 11 will have a picnic at the life saving station Tuesday afternoon, to which all friends are invited.

James O'Hara returned from Atlantic City, N. J., this afternoon.

Will Cadwell of Chicago, is the guest of relatives in the city.

Mrs. DeShon from Battle Creek is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John W. Fletcher.

Sheriff E. H. Ferguson is in Chicago today on business.

Guybird, the horse sold by Sheriff Ferguson was shipped last night.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Black of Hyde Park Farm are visiting in Chicago.

Mrs. J. H. Van Middlesworth, of Grand Rapids, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Braceelin, corner of Jones and Main streets.

St. Joseph business men are arranging for a big street car jamboree to be held in that city the first week in September and judging from the enthusiasm exhibited it will be a howling success. The money is already being subscribed in a quiet way and when the desired amount, \$1,500 is raised a public meeting will be called, committees appointed and active work commenced. It is understood that \$1,000 has already been raised.

Occasionally the mammoth mind of the erudite city editor of the St. Joseph Press wanders from its accustomed rut. From the legitimate field of news, where it is almost a master, it sometimes strays into the shadowy vale of poetry. During these rather sad and deplorable spells of its city editor the Press takes on much the appearance of a grave stone tablet. In place of "John Smith, of Baroda, is in town" the Press tells its readers that "The egg what's not yet taken to the nest is sure to get the biggest lump of coin." If the people of Franklin's time enjoyed lumps of philosophy mixed in their cup of news the times have changed. The daily newspaper is not an old fashioned magazine. . . . one knows this better than the city editor of the Press. But poetry hath its charms for even the savage mind.

Ohio Valley Railway.

Geo. D. Sparks, Auditor,
Louisville, Ky., Nov. 23, '97.
F. L. Shinkle, Esq.

Muncie, Ind.
Dear Sir:—Your dyspepsia remedy worked like a charm on me. I have not been troubled for a long time; in fact, I think I am entirely cured. I am glad you have decided to place the remedy on the market for the good it may do others. Add my endorsement to your list and make it as strong as you wish. I send list of R. R. office men, many of whom suffer from the disease on account of close confinement, etc. I think it would be well for you to send your circulars to some of them. Yours in haste,
George Sparks, Auditor.

For sale by Lowe & Witherspoon.

EXCURSIONS VIA THE

PERE MARQUETTE

Bay View, Mich.—Camp meeting and assembly. One fare rate. Sell July 9 to 19. Return limit August 15.

Detroit, Mich.—Democratic state convention. One fare rate. Sell July 24 and 25. Return limit July 27.

Ludington, Mich.—Ewforth League assembly. One fare rate. Sell July 24 to August 12. Return limit August 24.

Niagara Falls—Toronto and Alexandria Bay, August 2. Very low rates and long limit. Details to be announced later.

St. Paul, Minn.—National republican league. One fare plus \$2. Sell July 14, 15 and 16. Return limit July 21.

EXCURSION TO SOUTH HAVEN.
The steamer City of Louisville will make a trip to South Haven next Sunday, July 15, leaving Benton Harbor at 8 a. m. and St. Joseph at 9 a. m. Returning leave South Haven at 3 p. m. FARE 25 CENTS.

At this price can you afford to stay at home? You will have about four hours on shore and four hours on the water, away from heat and dust. Go and take your friends.

4240 GRAHAM & MORTON LINE.

SOCIETY AND PERSONAL

George Farnum of Chicago is in the city.

Homer Portman is home to spend Sunday.

L. H. Foeltzer left last night for a visit in Wisconsin.

Billie Rice of minstrel fame was in the city last night.

Mrs. Reed, of Jackson, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ruggles.

The Misses Josephine and Kathryn Hansen will spend Sunday in Chicago.

Madame Parks left yesterday for Dowagiac to spend Sunday with her mother.

C. P. Stanyan, who has been visiting in St. Joseph and Benton Harbor, left last evening for Milwaukee enroute to Mankato, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Silvers and daughter Elsie, and Mrs. Jennie Wright are spending the day in Chicago.

Ted Kane leaves tonight for Chicago to spend a day.

Miss Rose White is the guest of Mrs. Stanley Guy at Coloma for a few days.

Miss Grace Baldwin, of Fowlerville, Mich., is a guest at the home of Dr. Chapin.

David Wiley and family will leave Monday for an eight week's trip through Canada.

Barratt O'Hara, president of the young people's association, is in Chicago today to invite Mayor Harrison to speak at the Berlin Springs picnic.

Miss Olive Emory has returned to her home in Choate, Mich., after spending a week with Miss Kate Housan.

Lew S. Johnson, the theatrical manager, has rented the Kelly cottage on Pipestone street, and with his wife will spend the summer there.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Knight have returned from their three years' visit at Hampton and Old Point Comfort. Mr. Knight says that the weather is no warmer there than it is here and they expect to go back there to make their home.

Mrs. Otis Reed, of Albion, formerly of the Reed House of Boronia Springs, arrived here last evening to meet and sympathize with her sister and family, Mrs. L. W. Ruggles in their bereavement over the death of the late Dr. Cory. She is visiting today with her cousin, Mrs. J. V. Van Riper, of St. Joseph.

Miss Marie Olson, of Chicago, is the guest of the Misses Fisher this week.

Charles Bowman, who returned from New Mexico a short time ago much improved in health, will be compelled to return, as he is now in as bad health as when he went away. He expects to leave in a short time for Colorado and later will go to Mexico.

A very enjoyable trolley ride was given last evening by the colored young people of the "Unneedy" club. The Unneedy quartet furnished enlivening music.

Miss Helen Ingram, of Chicago, is entertaining a few little friends this afternoon at the home of her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anson Lewis, Summit street, in honor of her seventh birthday.

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.

The Goddess of Liberty a Bright and Shining Mark for the Electricity of the Heavens.

The Goddess of Liberty has had a lively experience within 24 hours. Twice has the famous statue been struck by lightning. The first bolt struck the right arm of the statue during the big squall the other afternoon. At 11 o'clock the next morning a second bolt struck the head. This occurred shortly after the lightning played havoc with the Standard Oil company's works at Constable Hook. A gang of workmen who were speedily detailed to make an examination of the immense bronze failed to find any material damage.

The right arm, which was first struck, is 42 feet long, its greatest thickness being 12 feet. One of the finger nails attached to this arm is 13 by 10 inches. The other arm and hand holds a tablet 23 feet 7 inches long and 13 feet 7 inches wide, on which is inscribed the words "July 4, 1776." Liberty Island, on which the statue is erected, has several companies of United States regulars, and these view with wonder the fact that lightning should maltreat the statue, especially on the anniversary of Independence day.

The second bolt struck the head square on the crown. The head from chin to cranium is 17 feet 3 inches high and is 10 feet thick from ear to ear. The crash aroused the whole military post, and they were turned out with the expectation of finding the great statue of Bartholdi leveled to the ground.

Charles Long, the superintendent of the ferry company that runs to the island, said:

"The statue is protected by the finest lightning rods ever made. They run from a point above the torch down and below the foundation, a distance of 305 feet, and then lead off to the water of the bay, where they take a circular form and enter a system of piping that is filled with carbon."

Have You Dyspepsia?

Indigestion, Heartburn, Sour Stomach, Nervous or Sick Headache, or any form of Stomach Trouble? If so, Shirkie's Cure for Dyspepsia will cure you. Price 75c per bottle. For sale by Lowe & Witherspoon.

It has been demonstrated by experience that consumption can be prevented by the early use of One Minute Cough Cure. This is the favorite remedy for coughs, colds, croup, asthma, grippe, and all the throat and lung troubles. Cures quickly. G. M. Bell Co.

Dr. S. M. White, dentist.

"You understand, of course," pursued the lawyer, "what is meant by a 'preponderance of evidence?'"

"Yes, sir," replied the man whom he was examining with reference to his qualifications as a juror.

"Let me have your idea of it, if you please?"

"I understand it, I tell you."

"Well, what is it?"

"Why, anybody can understand that."

"Still I would like to have your definition of it."

"I know what it is, all right. When I tell you I know what a thing is I know it. That's all there is about that."

"Well, what was the question I asked you?"

"You ought to know what that was. If you've forgot your own questions don't try to get me to remember them for you."

"I don't want to hear any more of that kind of talk," interposed the court. "Answer the question addressed to you by the counsel."

"Judge, I did. He asked me if I knew what it was, and I said I did."

"Are you sure you understand what is meant by the term preponderance of evidence?"

"Of course I am, judge."

"Well, let me hear your idea of it."

"It's evidence that's been previously pondered."—Chicago Tribune.

Mint Sauce, Etc.

Mint sauce is the aigre douce of Edward I.; blancmange was made of capons or pike boiled to a mash; calabashes were eaten "thickened with grated bread," by the common people, but for lords they had to be treated with yolks of eggs, and an equal distinction was observed with pike, which had to be cut up into pieces for ordinary folk, while those of higher degree had it served whole.

A favorite dish at the supper parties of the wild Prince Hal was "pomme d'orrage," a mixture of partridges, pork and yolks of eggs, first boiled and then roasted in batter. It was then made into small lumps about the size and shape of apples, and colored to taste. Pork, it may be mentioned, was much used at this time, in proportion to other meats as three to one.—Notes and Queries.

Boiling Rice in Louisiana.

The application of scientific irrigation methods has recently given a new development to rice culture in southwestern Louisiana, as explained in a bulletin of the department of agriculture. Rice requires wet lands, but on such lands harvesting machinery cannot be used. The difficulty has been met by flooding the dry prairie lands during the growth of the rice, and then draining them, by a system of pumps, canals and levees, when the crop is nearly ripe. On the drained lands it is possible to use reapers to harvest the rice; thus the cheap labor employed in foreign rice-growing countries can be met by American machinery.—Youth's Companion.

We will sell eight quart galvanized water pails for 10 cents each. Only one to a customer.

Kate's place was in the dining-room. She was not the cook, but she had a fine talent for desserts, and often went into the kitchen to make up some special dainties.

So it happened that when the mistress had a clerical dinner, with the bishop and two or three other churchmen, Kate was the author of the puddings. She was very much pleased when the bishop praised the dish and the other clergymen echoed his opinion, but she masked her enjoyment of the situation behind the solemn face which she always wore when waiting on the table.

"Pray tell me," said the bishop, "what is the name of this wonderful pudding?"

"I really don't know," said the mistress. "What is the name of it, Kate?"

Kate, very proud of the importance bestowed upon her, but with features unmoved, said: "Well, ma'am, to tell ye the truth, I've been so busy to-day that I hadn't time to name it; but, sure, with so many of the reverend clergy here this evenin' it'll not be long before 'tis christened."—Worcester Gazette.

Their Burning Glasses.

"Yes, it was a most singular incident. The spectacles of that great mass of school children focussed themselves in the glaring sun on the breast of the admiral. In 30 seconds two of his badges melted, and his coat began to smoke. Before they could drag him away and call for the fire department, his buttons had fused together and his sword hilt was warped out of shape!"

"Where did you say this happened?"

"In Boston, of course."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Transporting a Church.

The Church of Souvorov, in the village of Kotchansk, near Novgorod, has just been transported bodily to St. Petersburg. The celebrated Preobrazenski regiment wished to possess the church, which contained many souvenirs of the famous Marshal Souvorov. It was accordingly removed from its foundations and carried to the nearest railway station by means of 330 wagons.—L'Etat Belge.

Sensitivity of Fish.

Most fishes are very sensitive to external touch and some possess special organs for this sense. The seat of greatest sensitivity is about the snout, but this sensitivity in fishes does not appear to go to the limit of causing it to feel pain from a wound.

—Chicago Chronicle.

Born That Way.

Anxious Father—I suppose among other virtues you are training Fredrick in economy?

Employer—He's pretty well up in that; you ought to see how careful he is about wasting steps.—Nashville American.

We will sell eight quart galvanized water pails for 10 cents each. Only one to a customer.

There are Others!

BUT NONE LIKE

The Malcomson

Tea Company

JAVA
BLEND..

Delicious, Invigorating, Refreshing....

Bell phone 442.
Twin City 570

161 Pipestone St

MELSHEIMER & SHEAR

THE CASH TRADERS.

316 State St.

St. Joseph

After All Is Said

It is the goods itself upon which everything depends. So we take it for granted that our goods are superior in quality and style. We invite you to call and see our:

New Line of
Plain and Fancy
Wash Goods.

New Line of
Muslin Under-
wear.

W. G. NEWLAND, President.
R. C. BRITTAINE, Vice Pres. and Mgr.
FRED A. HOBES, Secy and Treas.
 The regular and early deliveries of fruit which we are making on shipments consigned via our steamer Frank Wood for the **Chicago market** have earned many and friends of recommendation from our passengers. Just now your neighbor would be in mind that we are doing our best energies to the local fruit trade, that we turn neither to the right nor left but go direct from our dock at Benton Harbor to the best fruit dock in Chicago, and that our service is unequalled for the use of the growers who desire to sell their fruit on the morning market. We solicit your business.

BENTON TRANSIT CO.
 Docks foot Seventh St., Benton Harbor.

The Chicago Tribune

is a newspaper for bright and intelligent people. It is made up to attract people who think. It is not neutral or colorless, constantly trimming in an endeavor to please both sides, but it is independent in the best sense of the word. It has pronounced opinions and fears less in expressing them, but it is always fair to its opponents.

Matters of national or vital public interest get more space in THE TRIBUNE than in any other paper in the West.

For these reasons it is the newspaper you should read during the forthcoming political campaign.

THE TRIBUNE'S financial columns never mislead the public.

Its facilities for gathering news, both local and foreign, are far superior to those of any other newspaper in the West.

It presents the news in as fair a way as possible, and lets its readers form their opinions.

While it publishes the most comprehensive articles on all news features, if you are busy the "Summary of THE DAILY TRIBUNE" published daily on the first page gives you briefly all the news of the day within one column.

Its sporting news is always the best, and its Sunday Pink Sporting Section is better than any sporting paper in the country.

It is the "cleanest" daily printed in the West.

Strong Drink is Death



DR. CHARLOT'S TONIC TABLETS are the only positively guaranteed remedy for the Drunken Habit, Nervousness and Melancholy caused by strong drink.

TAKE FOUR BOXES to cure any case with a reliable written guarantee or refund the money and to destroy the appetite for intoxicating liquors.

THE TABLETS CAN BE GIVEN WITHOUT KNOWLEDGE OF THE PATIENT.

STRONG DRINK causes misery, Poverty, ergo we will mail you four (4) boxes and post free written guarantee to cure or refund money. Single boxes \$3.00.

HOPKINS' DRUG STORE, Sole Agents, Benton Harbor, Mich.

FOR Ballinger's - Express

Leave orders at J. E. Rice's paint and paper store. No. 148 Pipetone St.

Office/Phone 601. Res. Phone 675

Money to Loan.

On Good Real Estate Security.

Apply to

S. A. BAILEY

115 Territorial St.

Life Insurance Policies bought for cash.

G. M. Baitinger
 138 Pipetone St.

Undertaker

We guarantee the best service in the city.

Are you going to
Paper or Paint
 this spring? If so see

J. W. EDWARDS

Who can do the work in the best possible manner at reasonable prices? Drop him a postal card to 247 Britain Ave. and he will call.

DR. R. W. PAKER

OPTICIAN

Cures all forms of defective sight.

120 Pipetone Street.

Bowling Green

Glasses may cure that headache.

Endorsed by Clergymen.

Gentlemen: Some personal experience enables me to heartily recommend the use of Henry & Johnson's Arnica and Oil Liniment. For external application in cases of sprains and bruises it is unquestionably excellent. It takes hold and gives relief. This is not a guess, but a word of testimony.

EDWARD HAWES, D. D.

Dr. Hawes was for many years pastor of the First Church, Burlington, Vt. His testimony is the testimony of all who use the Arnica and Oil Liniment. It never fails to give satisfaction. Sold by all druggists at 25 and 50 cents a bottle.

Ladies Hair Dressing and Manicure Parlors.

Ladies wishing to shampoo their own hair try Madam DeCarter's shampoo, finely finest on the market for bald heads. Try Madam DeCarter's hair tonic, cannot be beat. St. Joe, Mich. Twin city phone 319.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN.

Terms Made Known on Application.

Wm Edward Robinson

Physician and Surgeon

Office and Residence, Hotel Berrien.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN.

Ladies Hair Dressing and Manicure Parlors.

Ladies wishing to shampoo their own hair try Madam DeCarter's shampoo, finely finest on the market for bald heads. Try Madam DeCarter's hair tonic, cannot be beat. St. Joe, Mich. Twin city phone 319.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN.

Terms Made Known on Application.

Wm Edward Robinson

Physician and Surgeon

Office and Residence, Hotel Berrien.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN.

Ladies Hair Dressing and Manicure Parlors.

Ladies wishing to shampoo their own hair try Madam DeCarter's shampoo, finely finest on the market for bald heads. Try Madam DeCarter's hair tonic, cannot be beat. St. Joe, Mich. Twin city phone 319.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN.

Terms Made Known on Application.

Wm Edward Robinson

Physician and Surgeon

Office and Residence, Hotel Berrien.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN.

Ladies Hair Dressing and Manicure Parlors.

Ladies wishing to shampoo their own hair try Madam DeCarter's shampoo, finely finest on the market for bald heads. Try Madam DeCarter's hair tonic, cannot be beat. St. Joe, Mich. Twin city phone 319.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN.

Terms Made Known on Application.

Wm Edward Robinson

Physician and Surgeon

Office and Residence, Hotel Berrien.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN.

Ladies Hair Dressing and Manicure Parlors.

Ladies wishing to shampoo their own hair try Madam DeCarter's shampoo, finely finest on the market for bald heads. Try Madam DeCarter's hair tonic, cannot be beat. St. Joe, Mich. Twin city phone 319.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN.

Terms Made Known on Application.

Wm Edward Robinson

Physician and Surgeon

Office and Residence, Hotel Berrien.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN.

Ladies Hair Dressing and Manicure Parlors.

Ladies wishing to shampoo their own hair try Madam DeCarter's shampoo, finely finest on the market for bald heads. Try Madam DeCarter's hair tonic, cannot be beat. St. Joe, Mich. Twin city phone 319.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN.

Terms Made Known on Application.

Wm Edward Robinson

Physician and Surgeon

Office and Residence, Hotel Berrien.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN.

Ladies Hair Dressing and Manicure Parlors.

Ladies wishing to shampoo their own hair try Madam DeCarter's shampoo, finely finest on the market for bald heads. Try Madam DeCarter's hair tonic, cannot be beat. St. Joe, Mich. Twin city phone 319.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN.

Terms Made Known on Application.

Wm Edward Robinson

Physician and Surgeon

Office and Residence, Hotel Berrien.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN.

Ladies Hair Dressing and Manicure Parlors.

Ladies wishing to shampoo their own hair try Madam DeCarter's shampoo, finely finest on the market for bald heads. Try Madam DeCarter's hair tonic, cannot be beat. St. Joe, Mich. Twin city phone 319.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN.

Terms Made Known on Application.

Wm Edward Robinson

Physician and Surgeon

Office and Residence, Hotel Berrien.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN.

Ladies Hair Dressing and Manicure Parlors.

Ladies wishing to shampoo their own hair try Madam DeCarter's shampoo, finely finest on the market for bald heads. Try Madam DeCarter's hair tonic, cannot be beat. St. Joe, Mich. Twin city phone 319.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN.

Terms Made Known on Application.

Wm Edward Robinson

Physician and Surgeon

Office and Residence, Hotel Berrien.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN.

Ladies Hair Dressing and Manicure Parlors.

Ladies wishing to shampoo their own hair try Madam DeCarter's shampoo, finely finest on the market for bald heads. Try Madam DeCarter's hair tonic, cannot be beat. St. Joe, Mich. Twin city phone 319.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN.

Terms Made Known on Application.

Wm Edward Robinson

Physician and Surgeon

Office and Residence, Hotel Berrien.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN.

Ladies Hair Dressing and Manicure Parlors.

Ladies wishing to shampoo their own hair try Madam DeCarter's shampoo, finely finest on the market for bald heads. Try Madam DeCarter's hair tonic, cannot be beat. St. Joe, Mich. Twin city phone 319.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN.

Terms Made Known on Application.

Wm Edward Robinson

Physician and Surgeon

Office and Residence, Hotel Berrien.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN.

Ladies Hair Dressing and Manicure Parlors.

Ladies wishing to shampoo their own hair try Madam DeCarter's shampoo, finely finest on the market for bald heads. Try Madam DeCarter's hair tonic, cannot be beat. St. Joe, Mich. Twin city phone 319.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN.

Terms Made Known on Application.

Wm Edward Robinson

Physician and Surgeon

Office and Residence, Hotel Berrien.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN.

Ladies Hair Dressing and Manicure Parlors.

Ladies wishing to shampoo their own hair try Madam DeCarter's shampoo, finely finest on the market for bald heads. Try Madam DeCarter's hair tonic, cannot be beat. St. Joe, Mich. Twin city phone 319.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN.

Terms Made Known on Application.

Wm Edward Robinson

Physician and Surgeon

Office and Residence, Hotel Berrien.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN.

Ladies Hair Dressing and Manicure Parlors.

Ladies wishing to shampoo their own hair try Madam DeCarter's shampoo, finely finest on the market for bald heads. Try Madam DeCarter's hair tonic, cannot be beat. St. Joe, Mich. Twin city phone 319.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN.

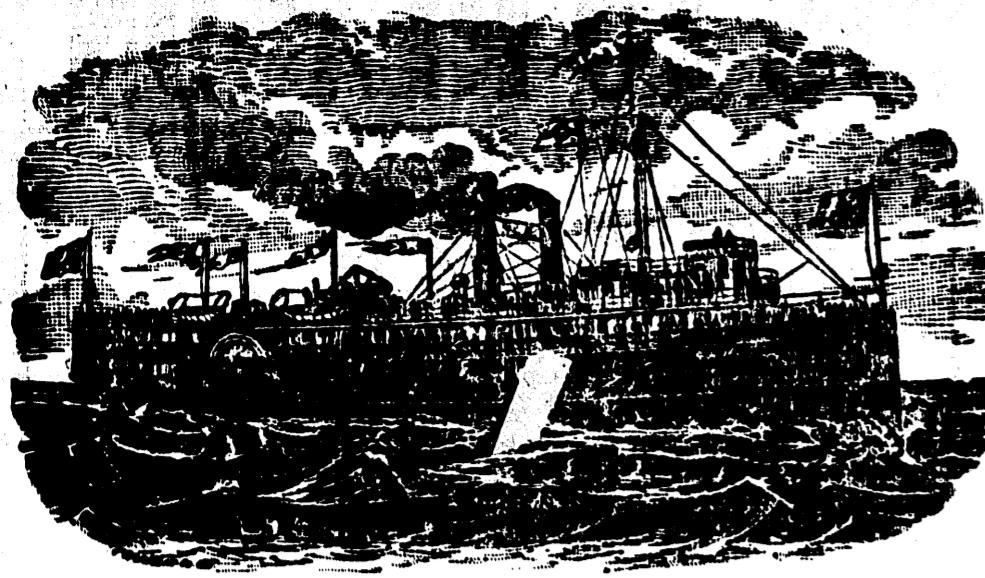
Terms Made Known on Application.

Wm Edward Robinson

Physician and Surgeon

Office and Residence, Hotel Berrien.</

Graham & Morton Transportation Company



The elegant steel, side-wheel passenger steamer City of Chicago, and the popular propeller City of Louisville, will run on the route between Chicago, St. Joseph and Benton Harbor, for the time being, according to the following schedule:

Leave Benton Harbor	Leave St. Joseph	Arrive Chicago
6:30 a. m. daily ex. Sun.	7:30 a. m. daily ex. Sun.	11:30 a. m. daily ex. Sun.
9 p. m. daily inc. Sun.	6 p. m. daily ex. Sun.	9 p. m. daily ex. Sun.
	10:30 p. m. daily inc. Sun.	4:30 a. m. daily.
	6 p. m. Sunday only.	10 p. m. Sunday only.
Leave Chicago	Arrive St. Joseph	Ar. Benton Harbor
9:30 a. m. daily.	1:30 p. m. daily.	5:30 a. m. daily.
12:30 noon daily ex. Sat. and Sunday.	4:30 p. m. daily ex. Sat. and Sun.	7 p. m. Saturday only.
11:30 p. m. daily inc. Sun.	4 a. m. daily.	
2 p. m. Saturday only.	2 p. m. Sundays only.	
	6 p. m. Saturday only.	

The right is reserved to change this schedule without notice.

DOCKS:—Chicago, foot of Wabash Ave. St. Joseph, E. A. Graham Benton Harbor, N. Water St. J. H. GRAHAM, President J. S. MORTON, Secretary

TIME AND SPACE

are practically annihilated by the ocean cables and land telegraph systems which now belt the circumference of Old Earth in

so many different directions. "Foreign parts" are no longer foreign in the old meaning of the term. Europe, Africa, Asia, are "next door" to us. What happens there to-day we know to-morrow—if we read THE CHICAGO RECORD, whose Special Cable Correspondents are located in every important city in the world outside of the United States. No other American newspaper ever attempted so extensive a service; and it is supplemented by the regular foreign news service of The Associated Press. For accurate intelligence of the stirring events which are shaking the nations—of wars and rumors of wars—of the threatening dissolution of old governments and the establishment of new—of the onward sweep of the race in all parts of the world—the one medium of the most satisfactory information is the enterprising, "up-to-date" American newspaper, THE CHICAGO RECORD.

FREE

A large map of the world on Mercator's Projection, about 20x18 inches in size, beautifully printed in colors, with a large-scale map of Europe on the reverse side, will be mailed to any address free of charge or receipt of request accompanied by two decent stamps to cover postage and wrapping. The map illustrates clearly how comprehensively the special cable service of THE CHICAGO RECORD covers the entire civilized world. Address THE CHICAGO RECORD, 131 Madison street, Chicago.

A NEW WAY



To
Arkansas
Texas
and the
Southwest

Cotton Belt Route

The Texas Train

Leaves CHICAGO daily at 1:30 p. m.

Through Coaches
Reclining Chair Cars
Buffet Sleeping Cars

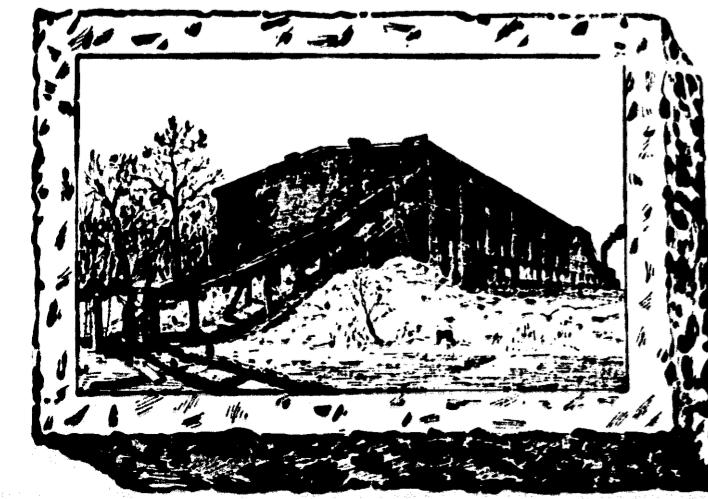
Train Wide Vestibuled
Heated by Steam
Lighted by Gas

Fastest Through Service to Texas

For Rates, Time Tables and Further Information, address
F. G. BARLOW
Traveling Passenger Agent
GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.

C. L. STONE
Gen'l Pass'r and Trk. Agent
CHICAGO

UNION ICE & COAL COMPANY



Ice by the carload or at retail. Dealers in pure spring water ice from Paw Paw lake. Give us a call when ready for ice. We aim to please. Wood and coal always on hand.

Capacity of Ice House 10,000 tons.

Capacity of Elevator, 75 to 80 cakes per minute.

THE SAGE OF CHINA.

Li Hung Chang, Newly Appointed Viceroy of Pe-Chi-Li.

He Is Clever and Cunning, an Adept in Oriental Statecraft and Past Master in the Art of Deceiving His Best Friends.

"Dreaded and obeyed," said an English writer, "Li Hung Chang is the powerful arbiter, whose word is law to 450,000,000 human beings." Li Hung Chang is now 77 years old and he is both beloved and feared.

"Never can it be said," wrote a Hong-Kong correspondent some time ago, "that up to the present day any foreign minister has succeeded in outgeneraling this astute Chinaman in anything relating to Chinese affairs."

Li Hung Chang is descended from a race of conquerors; his high muscular stature shows it. In his expressionless features, in the furtive depth of his intelligent look, in the studied reserve of his words, in his unimpulsive courtesy to strangers, race is evident and the politician is revealed. In his thin lips, his wrinkled forehead, looking like a block of carved ivory seasoned by time; in his drooping lids, veiling when necessary the expression of the eyes; in his features, drawn and puckered by the incessant preying on the mind of a single aspiration, ever keenly alive but cautiously restrained, one can trace the working of that powerful mind which guides the destinies of the celestial empire.

At the outset of his political career Earl Li followed in the footsteps of Tseign-kwo-Fan, whom he was designed to succeed as viceroy of Nan-king, and who died without leaving a single enemy behind him; having, according to some of his satirical countrymen, suppressed them all while he was alive.

Li Hung Chang is, in every sense of the word, a self-made man. His father was an official of one of the lower ranks and held an unimportant civil position in Peking, and out of his small pittance



LI HUNG CHANG,
Newly Appointed Viceroy of the Province of Pe-Chi-Li.

could give his son but little opportunity for an education. But these chances Li took every advantage of and chose literature as his profession.

When he arrived at the age of manhood he saw that he did not have the time to waste in continually studying the classics necessary to a successful literary career, so he abandoned literature and turned his attention to the profession of arms. Having successfully passed the requisite military examination he entered the imperial army and thenceforward his rise to his present high position has been rapid. He is one of the very few instances of a Chinese military man who has risen to eminence in civil life, and giving the title of the "grand old man" and the "Bismarck" of China.

In 1860 he cooperated with Gen. Gordon in suppressing the Tai-Ping rebellion, being then governor of the Tsin-Sin province. The other Tsin province being added to his rule he was created viceroy of the united countries in May, 1865. The following year he was appointed minister plenipotentiary and in 1867 viceroy of Hsiang-Kuang and a grand chancellor in 1868. He was the mediator for fixing the indemnity for the murder of Mrs. Morgan, who was killed in 1876 while endeavoring to explore southwestern China, and was prime minister of China up to the late war with Japan. It may be here explained that Li is his family name, while Hung Chang—meaning "vast ornamentation"—is nearly a personal name, or, rather, the official form of his personal name. He uses it when he addresses the emperor, and the officials use it when speaking to the emperor of him, otherwise it is improper for his colleagues to use it in his presence; it is also printed on his visiting card. His literary name, however, is Shao-t'u'an, or "young spice," and this is the one by which he is known to his friends and by which he is spoken of in the native press. He is also chung-tang, or "central hall," which is the complimentary title of a grand secretary. Li is a man of liberal views and has, on the whole, been a fair partisan of British commerce in the empire of the east.

Interesting Life Statistics.

A statistician has estimated that a man 50 years old has worked 6,500 days, has slept 6,000, has amused himself 4,000, has walked 12,000 miles, has been ill 500 days, has partaken of 36,000 meals, eaten 15,000 pounds of meat and 4,000 of fish, eggs and vegetables and drank 7,000 gallons of

Tools of German Barbers.

The barbers in some towns in Germany are compelled by law to cleanse and disinfect their combs, brushes and razors immediately after use and before they are applied to the hair of another customer.

A ROYAL ROMANCE.

King Alexander of Servia is Forced to Put Guards About His Betrothed's House.

The announcement is made by King Alexander of Servia of his betrothal to Mme. Maschin, formerly lady in waiting to Queen Natalie, caused a sensation throughout Servia and a commotion in Vienna. She is of obscure birth and 12 years older than King Alexander. The Servian ministry upon learning of the betrothal promptly resigned. The match is regarded in Belgrade as preposterous and a menace to the state. Feeling is so strong that the



THE KING OF SERVIA.
(A Disreputable Son of a Disreputable House.)

king has placed a guard around Mme. Maschin's house, fearing that an attempt might be made to abduct her.

It is evident that Alexander, after years of effort and always meeting with rebuff, has at last given up hope of securing a bride from one of the royal houses of Europe. If general reports may be accepted, the young king is, morally, very much like his father, Milan. He is low and depraved in his taste and disposition, and has been involved in many entanglements, with the result that his wooing even among the minor royalties has always been unsuccessful.

The kingship of the royal house of Obrenovitch is of the vintage of 1882, and the royal houses of Europe do not seem to consider it quite ripe for use yet. The founder of the line was old Miloch, a swineherder, who became prominent in the struggle of the Servians against the Turks and treacherously murdered his rival, Kara George. In 1870 Miloch's father married the widow of a man named Obren, and when, in 1881, the swineherder was elected prince he took the name of Obrenovitch. It is doubtful if either he or his father had any family name. When, after a stormy reign, old Miloch died in 1889, he was succeeded by his son, Michael. Michael was assassinated in 1895, and was succeeded by a grandson of old Miloch's brother, Vojvoda. This grandson is the royal blackleg, Milan, who has disgraced the memory of the swineherder, his grandfather and great-uncle. Milan abdicated in 1896, and his son, Alexander, after a reign of several years, in January, 1894, when only 17 years old, seized the government by a coup d'etat and assumed full control.

GERONIMO IS INSANE.

According to Recent Report Famous Chief of Apaches Has Become a Raving Maniac.

The famous old Apache chief Geronimo, who has been a federal prisoner at Fort Sill for the last ten years, has become a raving maniac. Even his enemies have deserted him. He now requires constant attention to keep him out of mischief.

It cost the United States much more than a million dollars and the lives of several hundred soldiers to put Geronimo behind the bars. For more than a half century he led his braves on a



CHIEF GERONIMO.
(Famous Old Apache Warrior Now a Raving Maniac.)

peated raids into Mexico and against the white settlers in the far southwest. His name was feared in all the states and territories south of Colorado. In 1882 Gen. Nelson A. Miles and the late Maj. Gen. Lawton set out to run the wild chief to the ground. For nearly four years he led them a merry dance over the mountains and deserts of New Mexico and Arizona. Finally they cornered him and the remnant of his band in a deep ravine in the mountains, and after starving the Indians almost to death succeeded in getting them to surrender. The prisoners were at first sent to the government military post at Mount Vernon, Ala., but so many of them died there of consumption that the survivors were sent ten years ago to Fort Sill.

The Automobile in Germany.

The automobile industry, though still in its infancy in Germany, is being rapidly developed, and, in the opinion of the United States consul at Leipzig, is destined to become an important factor in the manufacturing industries of the country. The large amount of capital and energy which is being expended upon this branch of industry indicates that the German business men have great confidence in the future of automobile.

Tools of German Barbers.

The barbers in some towns in Germany are compelled by law to cleanse and disinfect their combs, brushes and razors immediately after use and before they are applied to the hair of another customer.

Twin City Telephone Co.

Where to Locate?

Why, in the territory traversed by the

LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE RAILROAD,

The Great Central Southern Trunk Line in

KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, FLORIDA

where

Farmers, Fruit Growers, Stock Raisers, Manufacturers, Investors, Speculators, and Money Lenders

will find the greatest chances in the United States to make "big money" by reason of the abundance and cheapness of

Land and Farms, Timber and Stone, Iron and Coal, Labor—Everything!

Free sites, financial assistance, and freedom from taxation for the manufacturer.

Land and farms at \$1.00 per acre and upwards, and 500,000 acres in West Florida that can be taken gratis under the U. S. homestead laws.

Stock raising in the gulf coast district will make enormous profits.

Half fare excursions the first and third Tuesday of each month.

Let us know what you want, and we will tell you where and how to get it—but don't delay, as the country is filling up rapidly.

Printed matter, maps and all in formation free. Address

R. J. WEMYSS,
General Immigration and Industrial Agent
LOUISVILLE, KY.

W. E. Rowe

AGENT FOR

A. Black & Son

Hastings, Mich.

I am now prepared to furnish prices on all styles of the monumental work

MONUMENTS

We have placed several fine monuments in Southwestern Michigan. Some of the following can be found in Crystal Springs and Morton Hill cemeteries:

P. S. Hopkins, Henry King, Merry Bros., Mrs. Blackmer, Eastman Estate, J. S. Sayers, N. C. Emery, Joseph Watson, David Judson, R. M. Jones, Mrs. Babcock, McKellar Estate, Woodley Estate, Mrs. M. S. Owens, A. R. Nowlen, Rove Bros., Dawson, Wm. Hicks, M. A. Price.

Illustrated catalogue can be had by writing or calling at

146 Pipestone St.
Benton Harbor, Mich., Michigan

Smoke

Is a most disagreeable feature of a beautiful city and the question has been discussed

and cussed in every manner, shape and form, but with very few satisfactory results.

Last fall The Evening News had

placed in its boiler Gaul's Smoke

Consumer and Fuel Economizer and in recom-

miting it to the public.

He we do so with a full

knowledge of the ben-

efits to be derived. It

consumes the soot,

thus doing away with

that disagreeable fea-

tures and saves from

10 to 25 per cent in

fuel which is one of

the biggest items of

interest to all users of

coal.

We would respect-

fully invite all inter-

ested to call and ex-

amine and see for

themselves the bene-

